

INFLAMED
PASSIONS
OF HATRED

MORE CRUEL AND BITTER THAN EVER BEFORE

Will Burst Forth Again as Rest of World is Settling to Peace.

TURKO-BALKAN WAR RE-OPENS TONIGHT

Unless Civilization Rules in Hearts of the Allied Envoys.

Starving Adrianople Will be First Object of the Deadly Attack.

London, Feb. 3.—The war between Turkey and Bulgaria, Greece, Montenegro and Serbia will begin at seven o'clock this evening unless the last peace efforts of the powers should succeed or Turkey decide at the eleventh hour to surrender.

It has even been decided who shall fire the first shot, as Turkey has stated that she will allow her adversaries to take the aggressive.

The immediate object of the armies of the allies is the capture of Adrianople, which has hitherto presented such a firm front to its combined Bulgarian and Serbian armies, the latter well supplied with siege artillery, will concentrate their exertions.

For the present at any rate, the Bulgarian generals will simply try to hold the Turkish troops at Tchatalja.

King Nicholas of Montenegro has already started again for the Turkish fortress of Scutari. The king will himself take the direction of the renewed attack.

In the western Turkish province of Epirus, which touches the Greek border, the Greek troops under the command of Crown Prince Constantine have great hopes of breaking down the splendid defense which the Turkish army has thus far offered. The Serbian armies alone of the Balkan allies have completed their campaign, and have now placed many of their troops at the disposal of their comrades in the field.

It is declared that the Albanians with 80,000 rifles under the command of Austrian officers, are taking the field and it is rumored that they have fought a battle at Dibra where the Serbians lost heavily.

While the possible renewal of the war may put a strain upon the co-operation of the European powers they have thus far worked in harmony, and the departure of Prince Heinrich-Waldenburg-Schillingen from Vienna with an autograph letter from the Emperor Francis Joseph to the Emperor Nicholas of Russia gives additional hope that they will do so until the end.

With Strained Tensefulness.

Constantinople, Feb. 3.—The outcome of the representations made by the British and German ministers at the Bulgarian capital was awaited here this morning with strained tenseness. Although the armistice was scheduled to end at seven o'clock in the evening, the Ottoman officials had not yet lost hope that a resumption of hostilities would be avoided.

The German communication to the government of King Ferdinand of Bulgaria was even more direct in its terms than that of Great Britain in urging a peaceful settlement. Germany declared that she considered the new Turkish proposals as adequate, while both Great Britain and Germany intimated that inactivity on the part of the Balkan nations was not approved.

The powers. In the meanwhile Turkey has not been neglecting precautions for all eventualities. The movement of troops and war stores have been incessant during the past week while the hospitals at the front have all been cleared and their patients removed to the infirmaries in this city.

Slight Concession.

London, Feb. 3.—Bulgaria made a small concession today when she consented to the proposal of the powers that Turkey should be allowed to appoint a representative of the Caliph to reside at Adrianople after the cessation of that city to the allies.

will emerge from the conflict practically bankrupt. Sir Richard Crawford, who has been adviser to the Turkish minister of finance since 1911, left London today for Constantinople. He has arranged for two small loans of \$2,500,000 each during his stay here. These are to meet the pressing needs of the Porte, but they depend on a peaceful settlement.

With the prospective resumption of war, Turkey is deprived of even this slender resource.

Seething With Revolt. Berlin, Feb. 3.—Some indication of the trouble with the young Turks are having with the Turkish army, today. The army appears to be seething with revolt because of the assassination of Naim Pasha, its commander-in-chief.

Enver Bey, the young Turk leader today went in an automobile to the headquarters of the army at Hademkeul in order to win the support of the troops, but the soldiery forcibly prevented him from alighting.

It is regarded now as too late to stop the insurrection in the ranks. The Kurdish cavalry stationed in the Asiatic section of Constantinople and in the great Selimye barracks today made a formal demand for the execution of the murderers of Naim Pasha.

The men refused to obey the war minister's command to return to their homes.

GRANDSON MAHONRI MODELS SEA GULL.

New York, Feb. 3.—It is learned that Mahonri Young, a grandson of Brigham Young, leader of the Mormon church, is at work in this city modeling a unique monument to the sea gull. This bird is sacred to the Mormons because it saved the first immigrants to Utah from a plague of grasshoppers. It is said that the monument, which will be a tall column on top of which a sea gull will be carved, will cost \$40,000. It will be placed in the grounds of the Mormon temple at Salt Lake City. With such a costly monument, the sea gull apparently has a greater tribute to its kind paid it than any other bird.

FACE CHARGE OF BRIBERY

Former Mayor of Columbus and ex-State Senator on Trial

IN CONNECTION WITH ROSE LAW.

Thousands of Dollars Alleged to Have Been Offered Solons.

Columbus, O., Feb. 3.—Former Mayor Charles Anson Bond, of Columbus, now a resident of Cleveland, and former State Senator Thomas A. Dean, of Sandusky county, went on trial jointly in the criminal court before Judge Rogers this morning under a charge of bribery.

There are two indictments against the men, one charging them with offering several thousands of dollars to former State Senator W. L. Atwell, of Licking county, in connection with the Rose county local option law, and the other that they offered several thousands of dollars and re-nomination to former State Senator J. C. Drake, of Licking county, in connection with the same legislation. Both acts are alleged to have occurred on January 20, 1908. The two men will be tried on the latter charge.

Counsel new to the so-called bribery cases made their appearance today when the case was called. Attorneys Cyrus Huling, of Columbus, and William H. Boyd, of Cleveland, will represent the defense, Attorney General Hogan and Prosecutor Turner, the prosecution.

The first panel of jurors consisted of a mixture of farmers and business men.

Fear that the "wet" or "dry" sentiments of the jurors might control them in their consideration of the Bond-Dean case seemed to be underlying the questions of the prosecution and the defense put to prospective jurors as to their qualifications when the case was called today in the criminal division of the common pleas courts.

Prosecutor Turner and Attorney General Hogan were particularly to ask each juror as he was called whether he was a member of the Personal Liberty league, of the Liberal league, or any other temperance or liquor society. The defense on the other hand was particular to ask whether or not he had ever signed any "wet" or "dry" petition or had ever been interested in any liquor legislation.

COLONEL LUCE DEMANDS REASON. Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 3.—Five St. Paul officers of the Minnesota National Guard were placed on trial here today before the First Regiment court-martial, charged with insubordination. The St. Paul battalion on a verbal notice from Colonel Luce failed to appear in the Minneapolis tourney Friday night last.

GOING OVER BOOKS OF NATIONAL GUARD

Columbus, O., Feb. 3.—Following an executive session of the joint committee of the house and senate selected to make an investigation of conditions in the Ohio National Guard, with a view to reducing the expense of operation of the guard, Colonel Byron L. Bargar, secretary of the army board and director of safety of Columbus today was called in as the first witness. He was asked to produce data showing expense incurred in connection with the maintenance of the armories.

Several other witnesses are expected to be called before the day is over and Adjutant General Wood probably will be recalled to offer testimony concerning his opinions as to ways and means of reducing the expense of the guard.

Special accountants of the auditor's department, meantime, are making an examination of the records of the National Guard of the state.

PREPARE FOR YAPS EXPOSITION BENT.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Greatly increased hotel accommodations to take care of the crowds that are expected to visit the national parks of the country during exposition year, are being arranged for by the department of the interior which has supervision of the parks. Already a concession has been granted a hotel company in Yellowstone Stone Park to build one new hotel and enlarge another. Negotiations are on for the erection of a big new hotel in the Yosemite. At the lesser parks the government will see to it that tourists are not left unprovided for.

BUT THEY CANNOT GET CORNER ON AIR.

Canton, O., Feb. 3.—Announcement is made today of a combine of several aviation interests of the United States.

The Silver Lake Aviation Company, a consolidation of the Akron Aviation Company, the Milwaukee School and College of Aviation and the American Flying Machine Corporation of Milwaukee, has been incorporated in New Jersey with a capital stock of \$300,000. The new corporation has leased 66 acres of land at Silver Lake, near Akron, where it will establish a college of aviation.

All the equipment of the three companies which have been consolidated will be brought to Silver Lake. Work on the new buildings will be started within a few weeks.

SEVEN FIREMEN BADLY BURNED.

Akron, O., Feb. 3.—Seven city firemen were seriously burned here this morning while fighting a fire which started in the Schumacher block on south Main street. The firemen who were taken to the hospital were Arthur Walker, Christopher King, Orlin Zehnder, Frank Backus, Ernest Wagner, Kuder Jahn, and Clarence Harris.

They were burned in a terrific explosion of gas which occurred on the second floor of the building. One woman was overcome by smoke. She was carried out by firemen.

The first started in rubbish and for a time it was feared the entire building would be destroyed, but the flames were finally extinguished with a loss of \$5,000.

PUT QUIETUS ON TOO MANY RAH RAHS.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Gags for college boys on inauguration days may be provided by the intercollegiate committee of the inauguration management, for it has issued warning that no college yells, catcalls, or other noisy demonstrations will be permitted in the procession. Any attempt on the part of the ten thousand college youths to "rough house" the parade, the committee declares, will be met with prompt and effective repression. The members declined today to say whether gags would be used or policemen's clubs. Every institution of learning of any prominence has been invited to send their students to the inauguration. Princeton, alone, is expected to have more than one thousand men in the line of march.

DID UNCLE JUD FORGET UNCLE MUNN

Columbus, O., Feb. 3.—It was learned today that when former Governor Harmon sent his recess appointments to the senate at the beginning of the present session, he omitted the name of F. E. Munn, a member of the state tax commission, re-appointed a year ago. There is some doubt as to whether appointments to the tax commission need be confirmed by the senate.

George S. Long, former secretary to the governor, said today if Mr. Munn's name was not in the list sent to the senate by the former governor, it was a mere oversight on the part of the commission clerk. Assistant Attorney General Thompson is investigating the case. Mr. Munn is a Republican.

LIMIT OF SIX YEARS FAVORED

SENATE WOULD RESTRICT PRESIDENTIAL HOPES

By Placing Ineligible Brand on All Subsequent Second Termers.

PROGRESSIVES OPPOSED TO MOVE

Because it Throws Their Man Roosevelt Among the Discards.

Same Effect Would be Felt by Taft and Woodrow Wilson

Washington, Feb. 3.—A constitutional amendment which would restrict the president and vice president of the United States to a single term of six years and would bar Woodrow Wilson, Theodore Roosevelt and William H. Taft from again seeking election, was approved by the senate last Saturday afternoon by the narrow majority of one vote. After a three days' fight, in which the progressives joined with many republicans in opposition to the restricted presidential term, the senate adopted the original Wilson resolution by a vote of 47 to 23.

The language which it is proposed to insert in the constitution in place of the first paragraph of article 2, is as follows:

"The executive power shall be vested in a president of the United States of America. The term of the office of president shall be six years; and no person who has held the office by election, or discharged its powers or duties, or acted as president under the constitution and law made in pursuance thereof, shall be eligible to hold again the office by election."

Now Goes to House.

The resolution proposing the constitutional amendment now goes to the house for its approval. If ratified there by a two-thirds vote, it will be submitted to the legislatures of the states, and will become effective when three-fourths of the 48 states of the Union have officially approved it.

An amendment by Senator Hitchcock, that would have exempted past presidents and made the new provision take effect March 4, 1917, was voted down, 42 to 27, and an amendment by Senator Sutherland to exempt the president in office when the constitutional amendment may finally be ratified, was defeated, 35 to 29.

Ohio Senators For It.

Pomeroy and Burton of Ohio supported the resolution. Those who voted against the resolution were: republicans—Borah, Bourne, Bradley, Bristow, Curtis, Gallinger, Jackson, Jones, Kenyon, La Follette, Lippitt, Lodge, McLean, Oliver, Page, Richardson, Sanders, Stephenson and Townsend. Progressives—Clapp, Dixon and Poindexter. Democrat—Shively.

On the roll call Senator Works himself cast the deciding vote.

The debate throughout the day was characterized again by the contention of the progressives that the proposed constitutional amendment was a dangerous limitation upon the rights of the people, and by the efforts of many democrats to amend the resolution it would not be retroactive in effect.

House Sees Defects.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Another attempt to change the proposed six-year single term amendment to the constitution so it will either lengthen President Wilson's term to six years or make him eligible for re-election, is expected in the house as soon as the resolution passed Saturday by the senate is taken up for consideration.

The passage of the single term resolution in the house is expected by many democrats who favor it in spite of the fact that it would not be so drawn as to cut President Wilson off with a single four-year term. The senate passed the resolution in such form that the president in office, and all former presidents would be ineligible for re-election.

FOR WHICH SOMEONE LOSES AN EASY JOB.

New York, Feb. 3.—For the first time in the history of this port, a cabin passenger detained by order of the immigration inspectors eluded them, last night, and sneaked into the city. A woman who called herself Mrs. Etta Boganny, was ordered detained because of information which the authorities had received from London. She was dressed gorgeously in purple and wore diamonds around her neck. The escape of the woman was aided by Joseph Boganny, who described himself as manager of an acrobatic troupe. He appeared at the head of the gang plank, with the woman and pretending that she was ill, and in need of immediate care of a doctor, rushed her past the steward on guard, notwithstanding that he did not have the landing permit. He said he would return in a moment and hand over the woman's ticket. They also bluffed the customs watchman, raced the length of the pier, and were away in a taxicab before the officials were aroused by their flight.

SOCIETY SECTION WILL CONVINCE 'EM.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The newest idea in the suffragette parade, March 3, is the display of a "society section," and in order that the real authenticated leaders may be seen tramping along Pennsylvania avenue, Miss Stella McCalla, daughter of Rear Admiral McCalla, U. S. N., is to be sent this week to Newport, R. I., as a missionary in the cause of political equality, and to enlist recruits. This was settled on today at the national headquarters of the suffragists.

Today is to be devoted to missionary work in Washington, a large number of meetings being scheduled. Among the speakers are Mrs. La Follette, wife of the Wisconsin senator; Mrs. George Gove, wife of the assistant secretary of the interior, and Mrs. William Kent, wife of the representative from California.

AN EPIDEMIC OF APPENDICITIS.

Philadelphia, Feb. 3.—An epidemic of appendicitis has prevailed at the St. Francis Industrial School at Edinboro, near here, during the past week. Twenty-nine of the boy students have been operated upon by Dr. Ellwood Kirby in a hospital in this city and four others will undergo operations. Kirby stated last night that he believes the large number of cases was due to some microbe disorder and will make an investigation at the school. The boys' ages range from 12 to 14.

CALL IT INSULT TO THE CITIZENS.

New York, Feb. 3.—East Siders, who are called the most thickly settled people in the world, hope at last to arouse the public service commission to the fact that horse cars are out of date. "The continued operation of horse car lines on our streets is an insult to the citizens," the East Side Neighborhood Association declares in a protest registered with the commission yesterday. "If necessary we will start a street corner campaign to make the city realize the inadequacy of the transportation system," said some of the leaders. "That this populous district should be so neglected by the railway companies is a crying shame."

BUT WHO WANTS TO LIVE FOREVER?

Washington, Feb. 3.—Augustus Smith, 37 years old, who claims to be the oldest living graduate of Yale university, and whose claim virtually was endorsed by President Taft recently, today gave out his rules for a long life.

They are: "Get to bed early every night." "Take your meals regularly." "Eat only plain and well cooked foods." "Don't gad around all over creation attending balls and parties and things."

Mr. Smith is a lover of tobacco, although he gave it up recently because, he said, "I sort of lost my taste for it." He was graduated in a later class than Garwood Harvey Atwood, who is a Yale alumnus of 1838, while Smith is a graduate of the class of 1842, but the latter is two years older than Mr. Atwood.

STORY OF CHRIST TOLD WITH LIGHTS.

New York, Feb. 3.—A service of light was the unique form of worship introduced at the Calvary Episcopal church last night when music, lights and shadows were used to tell the story of Christ. There was no sermon or any spoken word just before the procession of the vested choir all the lights were put out except some tall candles, which burned at the ends of the pews. Members of the choir carried candles as well as hymnals, and marched around the church. One by one, even the candles on the pews were put out, this being supposed to portray the passing of Christ from the Epiphany to Gethsemane. At last when all lights were out, it was said to be "Good Friday." There was Good Friday music, and then one light appeared in the choir. Near it was a boy chorister in white vestments. As a solo he sang the familiar words "The Strife is O'er" signifying Easter dawn.

MISS POTTS WILL ENTER A CONVENT.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Although implored by her father to remain with him, Miss Frances Griffith Potts, the youngest daughter of Rear Admiral Robert Potts, U. S. N., is said to have turned a deaf ear to the entreaties and will enter a Carmelite convent as a nun. Her two sisters already are members of the order. Miss Potts entered on her novitiate November, 1911, and three months later took the white veil, which was followed by a year's probation. She will be formally taken into the order in Baltimore February 11.

CORNER ROBBERS IN OHIO WOODS.

Denison, O., Feb. 3.—Two of four robbers who robbed the safe of William Snyder, a saloon keeper, early today, are reported cornered in the woods north of here today by pursuing deputies. It is feared a battle may result.

The robbers used nitroglycerin to blow Snyder's safe and escaped with \$138 in cash.

UPPER STRATA HAS AN OBJECT.

New York, Feb. 3.—The Pilgrims Society of America will celebrate at a dinner tomorrow evening the tenth anniversary of its founding with the object of fostering social relations between the people of the United States and Great Britain, by bringing distinguished citizens of both countries into contact. Among the guests at the dinner will be a delegation of the English Sister Society of the Pilgrims of Great Britain, headed by its honorary secretary, Henry E. Brittain, who has been appointed by Field Marshal The Earl Roberts, K. G., president of the society, to represent him on the occasion. Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador, to the court of St. James, will preside.

LEGAL GUNS ON TUB TRUST

Criminal Proceedings Were Opened Today at Grand Rapids.

SUPREME COURT HELD THEM GUILTY

But Action Was Civil and Only Resulted in Dissolution Order.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 3.—The retrial of the government's criminal suit against the so-called bath tub trust was scheduled to begin in United States district court here late this afternoon before Judge Clarence W. Sessions of Grand Rapids. The previous trial of the case resulted in a disagreement of the jury on March 14, 1912. On November 18, the United States supreme court decided a civil anti-trust suit against the same defendants in favor of the government and ordered the so-called trust dissolved. Having been convicted in the civil suit, much interest was manifested in the line of defense the manufacturers would adopt in the re-trial of the criminal case.

The defendants were criminally indicted December 7, 1901. Sixteen corporations and thirty-two individuals were named in the indictments but before the first trial had ended several of the defendants were discharged, others were given immunity and some pleaded nolo contendere. There now remain eleven individual and eleven corporation defendants. They are charged with controlling 83 per cent of the output of enameled ware products, combining to restrain trade, fixing prices and refusing to sell to jobbers who handled goods for the so-called independent dealers.

The first trial was before Judge Alexis C. Angell, who has since resigned. The defendants represented by Robert B. Honeyman, of New York, and Henry E. Bodman, of Detroit. Edwin P. Grosvenor, assistant to the attorney general; District Attorney Clyde I. Webster and former District Attorney Frank Watson, of Detroit, have charge of the case for the government.

Among the corporation defendants are: The Barnes Manufacturing Company, Mansfield, O.; Cahill Iron Works, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Colwell Lead Company, New York; the Day-Ward Company, Warren, Ohio; Humphries Manufacturing Company, Mansfield, O.; National Sanitary Manufacturing company, Salem, Ohio.

The individual defendants, all of whom are connected with the corporation defendants are: Theodore Ahrens, Jesse T. Duran, E. L. Dawes, Francis J. Torrance, T. R. Barnes, Howard T. Gates, Frank G. Borden, A. Weiskittel, Lloyd G. McCrum, Herman Koelchler and J. E. Wright.

KENNEDY PROPOSES LONG TERM

ALLEN COUNTY REPRESENTATIVE HAS A PLAN

Which He Considers One of Much Economy for the State.

TWO YEAR TERMS NOT LONG ENOUGH.

Shifting of Men in Legislature Detrimental to Business.

Expense of Holding Frequent Elections, Also to be Considered.

Columbus, O., Feb. 3.—Contending that such a plan would place the affairs of the state upon a strictly business basis, and that much money would be saved to the taxpayers, Representative Ray Kennedy, of Lima, is preparing an amendment to the Ohio constitution which he will introduce in the legislature and which would make legislators—both representatives and senators—elected to terms of six years instead of the present short terms of two years.

Under his plan, Representative Kennedy claims that by having a stable legislature, definite policies could be maintained and worked out. The plan will be presented to the legislature in a joint resolution, providing for the placing of the proposed amendment before the people at a regular election.

Instead of having the entire legislature changed every six years, the Allen county representative would have the terms of one-third of the legislators in both houses expire every two years, thereby continually having two-thirds of the legislature old members.

"It costs the people of the state thousands of dollars each year for the expense of the legislature," said Mr. Kennedy. "When a representative or senator comes here, he generally spends most of his first term learning the business of the state and the rules of the legislature."

"A member of the legislature should be more valuable as his experience increases. It is a strictly business proposition."

"Such a legislative plan would tend to settle general business conditions, too," he declared. "Business interests are always glad when the legislature adjourns, because they don't know what next to expect."

The Allen county representative also contends that his measure would be in keeping with Governor Cox's short ballot plan of state government.

COAL OPERATORS IN 3 DAY SESSION.

Columbus, O., Feb. 3.—Ohio coal operators began to gather here today for a meeting which will begin this evening with an executive session and which will hold forth further sittings on tomorrow and Wednesday. While it has been announced that the meeting has been called to discuss conditions in the coal trade it was generally conceded today that the workmen's compulsory compensation bill, the Green-Tellor coal screen bill and other measures pending before the legislature which affect the operators and their employees will furnish the principal subjects for consideration.

COX DESIRES TO AID OHIO FARMERS.

Columbus, O., Feb. 3.—Upon request of Governor James M. Cox, editors of farm journals and papers devoting their space to rural conditions incident to farm life from various parts of the country are expected to confer with the governor Wednesday relative to plans which will improve rural and agricultural conditions over the state. Only those editors whose publications circulate in Ohio have been asked to the conference. Governor Cox holds the view that the editors of these papers who have been advocating certain changes and the inauguration of specific movements for the betterment of farm life should be able to offer suggestions that will be of value and which may result in legislation.

BLANK MUST ACT SOON

Commission Will Send Him
Copy of Rules and
Regulations.

VACANCY IN THE CAPTAINCY

Should be Filled by an Ap-
pointment From Elig-
ible List.

It will be up to Safety Director Blank to take some official action relative to the existing vacancy in the office of captain of police within the next few days. The rules and regulations, adopted by the civil service commission last June, governing the conduct of the police and fire departments of the city, are now in the hands of the printer, and enough copies have been ordered to supply every one who desires a copy. Blank has repeatedly stated that he will not officially notify the commission of the existence of a vacancy in the department, until he has been provided with an authenticated copy of the rules and regulations. A copy will be mailed him as soon as it is off the press, which will bring the matter squarely to him for further action. The laws provide that the safety director shall notify the commission

of a vacancy in the department, and that the commission shall at once certify the names of three from the eligible list for appointment. At the present time, there are four names on the eligible list, Sergeant Bacone, Patrolman Grant, Snyder, and Wallace. Should the commission sustain the charges against Snyder and approve the sentence of dismissal imposed by the safety director, there would still remain three names on the eligible list, Bacone, Grant and Wallace. In the meantime, Patrolman McCoy continues to act as temporary captain, the rules of the commission making him ineligible for appointment to the permanent position of captain, since he has not served the required number of years in the department. Shortage of funds has prevented the commission from having copies of the rules and regulations printed before.

THE LAST PERFORMANCE. Special drama, 2 parts, Empire today. W. R. Fox, 185 W. Washington St., Noblesville, Ind., says: "After suffering many months with kidney trouble, after trying other remedies and prescriptions, I purchased a box of Foley Kidney Pills which not only did me more good than any other remedy I ever used, but have positively set my kidneys right. Other members of my family have used them with similar results." Take at the first sign of kidney trouble. M. M. Keltner.

Basket Ball
White Stars vs. Kenton Reds,
Tuesday evening, at Auditorium. 7-10

**Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA**

OHIO INCORPORATIONS.

Columbus, O., Feb. 3.—The Cleveland Vinegar Company, Cleveland, \$10,000, Peter H. Faulstich, Charles E. Timbers, Edward C. Timbers. The Western Hills Country Club Company, Green Township, Hamilton county, \$50,000, C. P. Shriver, Andrew N. Cook, William J. Howard. The Matland Rubber Company, Springfield, \$10,000, Frank S. Talbott, Carl P. Cartmell, Frank P. Patrick. The Benjamin P. Forbes Company, Cleveland, \$7,500, Benjamin P. Forbes, Peter G. Lawrence, Ralph L. Palmer. The Yeagley Hardware Company, Kenton, \$20,000, L. Yeagley, D. C. Holtzberry, Charles Schmidt. The Slovenian Workmen's Co-operative Association Company, Cleveland, \$10,000, Anton Selan, Anton Peterlin, Mathias Petrovic. The Federal Development Company, Alliance, \$25,000, W. E. Dunning, W. J. Rose, N. F. Boecker. The Wear Well Paint Company, Alliance, \$20,000, J. S. Spring, C. H. Erwin, C. W. McIntyre. The Chapman Steam Specialty Company, Canton, \$10,000, S. DeWitt Chapman, Grace B. Chapman, E. H. Lamell. The Ohio State Sales Company, Cleveland, \$10,000, Charles D. Kountz, James E. Blackall, Everett B. Lauster. The Hamilton Taxicab Company, Hamilton, \$5,000, J. A. Weigel, Carl A. Weigel, George J. Kalbeler. The Nine, Nine, Nine (999) Drug Company, Toledo, \$2,000, William Oelsbee, Abner Wells, Stanley G. Page. The Robbins and Myers Company, Springfield, increase \$50,000 to \$1,000,000.

DRAMATIC SOCIETY SCORES A SUCCESS

Production of "Down in Maine" at the Faurot This Afternoon. Was a Great Hit.

This evening at the Faurot opera house, the St. John's Dramatic society put on the interesting little play, "Down in Maine." If the sale of tickets and reservation of seats is a criterion by which to judge, it is likely the opera house will be well filled this evening when the curtain is rung up for the first act. Rev. Father Carl Alter trained the young people, assisted by A. M. Funckh, who upon previous occasions, has been in charge of the dramatic productions. The play promises to be of much real worth. The proceeds will go for the benefit of St. John's new Catholic church and those who sold the tickets, met with more than the usual success. "Down in Maine" was also given this afternoon at the opera house and delighted all who saw the matinee production.

THE LAST PERFORMANCE. Special drama, 2 parts, Empire today. OUR WANT ADS DO "THINGS."

BEAVERDAM.

Mr. and Mrs. William Amstutz and daughter, Aronelle, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Amstutz, at West Cairo, Thursday. Miss Elisabeth Roberts went to Columbus Grove Thursday, where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clyde Van Meter, for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Larue were the guests of relatives at Lima, Thursday. S. R. Vertner returned home Wednesday evening from a business trip to Sidney. He also visited his son, Howard, there. Charles H. Neese, special representative of the Times-Democrat, transacted business here, Saturday. Dr. I. R. Wetherill, of Bluffton, was here on professional business, Friday. M. E. Young transacted business at Lima, Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clark and daughter, Lulu, Mr. Walter Flager, Misses Alzada Storer and Ruth Lewis were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Bassett. Jesse Bassett has returned home from a few weeks' visit with relatives at Bridgeport, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huttering were the guests of relatives at Bluffton, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Conrad, of Bluffton, were the Sunday guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Weaver. Miss May Cribble, of Lima, was the guest of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Constein Cribble, Sunday. Farmers' institute will be held at the town hall, on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patterson were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Emil Kempf, at Lima, Thursday. Dr. E. C. Yingling was in Lima on professional business, Friday. Mrs. L. O. Durkee was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Charity Fensler, at Bluffton, recently. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Garling and children were the guests of Mrs. Garling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nellemier at Wapakoneta, recently. Mrs. Nellie Lewis and daughter, Ruth, were Lima visitors, Wednesday.

Errat Loomis, of Huntington, Indiana, arrived Saturday for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Loomis. Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. Susan Clark were the guests of relatives at Lima, Friday. Misses Ruth Lewis, Tessie Bowlers, Alzada Stoner and Frona Murray were Bluffton visitors, Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson, of Rawson, have moved to the W. C. Thompson farm, 1½ miles south-east of here.

Miss Bertha Petersines, of Lima, returned home Saturday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Amos Mosler, north of here. John Yoakum is improving after an illness of several months' duration.

Miss Ellen Van Meter, of Lima, was the Sunday guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Everett. Mrs. J. C. Beade, of Tulsa, Okla., is the guest of her brother, D. N. Beade, and other relatives.

Mrs. Alfred Romey, of Lima, was the Sunday guest of her mother, Mrs. Kate Hesser.

Owen Thompson passed away on Saturday morning at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Lucy Everett, after a long illness caused by paralysis. He was 73 years of age. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson formerly lived near Ft. Wayne, Ind., until a year ago, when they came here to stay with Mrs. Thompson's elderly sister, Mrs. Everett. He is survived by a wife and two sisters, who are Mrs. Amos Keller, of Lima, and Mrs. Taylor, of Ft. Wayne. Three children have preceded him to the spirit world. The funeral services will be held at the Methodist church, conducted by Rev. J. S. Snodgrass on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Misses Grace and Ora Freet attended the literary exercises at the Gratz school near Bluffton, Friday evening.

Mrs. M. J. Cotner, Mrs. Calvin Herr and Mrs. N. Lewis were Lima visitors, Thursday.

Miss Wava Prosser went to Bluffton, Friday evening, for a few days' visit with friends.

Miss Jacob Badertscher and son have returned to their home at Ithaca, N. Y., after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Goble.

Several members of the I. O. O. F. lodge attended the encampment to which they belong at Bluffton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Conrad and children, Joseph and Ruth, arrived home Saturday evening from a six weeks' visit with their son, Grover, and daughter, Mrs. Ezra Clark, and family in Oklahoma.

Dr. E. C. Yingling and T. B. Clark were called to St. Marys, Saturday, by the illness of a nephew, Charles Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Van Gilder went to Ada, Saturday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Smith.

Mrs. John Weaver departed this life on Friday night at her home on Main street. She had been suffering from the effects of a cancerous growth for several months. She was in her 65th year at the time of her death and is survived by her husband, a son, C. E. Weaver, of this place, and a daughter, Mrs. James Bragg, of Lima, also five grand children. Before her marriage she was Miss Susan Cartie, of this place. The funeral will be held at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. S. Snodgrass, assisted by Rev. Scoles. Interment at Beaverdam cemetery.

Misses Errie Loomis, Phoebe Bettschen, Ruth Bassett and Rozetta Danner went to Bluffton, Friday evening, where they attended the dedication exercises of the new

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COLUMBUS GROVE.

Columbus Grove, O., Feb. 3.—The marriage of Miss Valeria Beck, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Beck, of 526 Utah street, East Toledo, and Carl Frueh, employed at the local electric light plant, will take place Tuesday morning at eight o'clock at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Toledo. The friendship of the young people dates back to several years ago, when the Beck family resided in Columbus Grove. Mr. Frueh will bring his bride to Columbus Grove, immediately following the wedding and they will reside, for the present, with the grandmother of the bridegroom, Mrs. C. Frueh, of north Broadway.

The high school will present "The Disappearing Big Jim" and "The Contest of the Nations" at Day's opera house Thursday evening. The play is a farce comedy. In "The Contest of the Nations," a flag drill and cantata is to be given by thirteen girls.

Arrangements have been completed for the big mid-winter fair, which will open Thursday morning. It enters as a criterion by which to judge, the fair will be a success from start to finish. The citizens' band will furnish music. T. P. Riddle, of Lima, secretary of the Grange Dealers' Association, of three states, will speak Thursday afternoon. In the evening the high school students will have their play. John Begg will deliver the lecture Friday

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Questions For Applicants For County Certificates.
EXAMINATION HELD FEB. 1

Prepared by the State School Commissioner to Test the Mental Qualifications of Those Who Seek Positions as Teachers in the Public Schools.

Following is the list of questions as prepared, under direction of the state commissioner of public schools, and submitted at the county examination for teachers Feb. 1, for elementary school certificates:

PHYSIOLOGY.

1. How much interest should you as teacher take in the cleanliness of the pupils under your charge. (State your opinions definitely.)
2. Define inoculation, contagion, vaccination, isolation, and antitoxin.
3. What are some of the most common acid poisons and their antidotes? Name a metallic poison.
4. Write some practical suggestions that one should observe in the care of the ears. Name the different parts of the ear.
5. What useful purposes do our clothes serve? What facts do you teach about the choice of clothing?
6. Define acromion cardiac orifice, cornea, enucleus, mesentery, plasma, uylorus, and tetanus.
7. Name the cavities of the heart and describe the heart action. How long does it take for the blood to make a complete circulation?
8. To what extent and for what purpose do you favor athletics in schools outside of city districts? What part, if any, should girls take in athletics?

LITERATURE.

1. Who wrote "The Pilgrim's Progress"? Show, by a brief description, that you have read this book.
2. Name a poem written by Thomas Campbell, by Wordsworth, by Byron, by Gray, and by Tennyson. Write four line quotations from two of the poems named.
3. Choose one of the novels written by Charles Dickens and in a few sentences show that you have read the book.
4. Name four great English poets and the masterpiece of each. Who was England's greatest novelist? Dramatist?
5. Take "Snowbound" as your lesson, and write six leading questions you would ask your class. The questions should show that you have read the poem.
6. Have you read "Uncle Tom's Cabin"? Do you encourage your pupils to read this story? (Give reasons for your answer.)
7. Name at least five of Longfellow's shorter poems that are suitable for your eighth grade class to study.

ARITHMETIC.

1. If corn is planted in hills 3 ft 6 in. apart each way, how many hills will there be per acre?
2. How many quarts of berries can be put into a box the bottom of which is 14 inches square on the inside, and at the top 18 inches square, the depth being 8 inches?
3. The interest on a certain note at 4 per cent for 3 months is \$31.20. What is the face of the note?
4. A invests a certain sum in 6 per cent stock at 107½ and twice as much in 5 per cent stock at 89½, brokerage 1½ in each case. What does he invest in the first if his income from both is \$500?
5. If wheat loses 18 per cent on being ground into flour, how many bushels of wheat are needed to make a barrel of flour?
6. A and B own a stack of hay in conical form. It is 15 feet in height, and A owns two-thirds of the stack. How many feet must he take from the top for his share?
7. If I pay 75c for a ream of type-written paper, how many sheets do I get for one cent?
8. I bought two houses for \$11,700, paying 25 per cent more for the one than the other. I sold the cheaper house at a profit of 20 per cent, and the other at a profit of 16.24 per cent. What was my total gain?

UNITED STATES HISTORY.

- (Including Civil Government)
1. By whom was Georgia settled? What were the chief purposes of this settlement?
 2. What were the Intercolonial Wars? What great battle settled the controversy in America between France and England?
 3. When Washington became president, what were the great questions confronting him?
 4. What was the Webster-Ashburton Treaty? Who invented the electric telegraph?
 5. Describe the struggle between the North and South for the possession of Kansas in 1854. How was the dispute settled?
 6. Name the Chief Justices of the United States that were made famous by their important decisions. Who is the present Chief Justice of the United States?
 7. Trace the territorial growth of the United States on the American continent from 1776 to the present time.
 8. Article five of the Constitution of the United States specifies how amendments are proposed and ratified. Discuss the provisions of this section, showing that you understand them.

AGRICULTURE.

1. Discuss the relative values of the average corn and wheat crop. For what reasons other than the crop is wheat sown in Ohio?
2. What is a dead furrow? How is soil formed?

3. What are the three leading crops of your county? What is the average yield per acre of each?
4. State the benefits farmers receive from weeds. What is a weed?
5. Explain the value of spraying in the spring, and name several kinds of trees that are much benefited by this treatment.
6. What is the Babcock milk tester? Explain the value of its use.
7. Why were so many farmers discontented and forced to sell their farms from 1890 to 1900? Do you notice this discontent among farmers now?
8. What does Carver say are the most important factors of agricultural productions?

THEORY AND PRACTICE.

Based in part on Graves' "Educators of Three Centuries"

1. Explain briefly the method of reasoning and study introduced by John Locke.
2. Who was the founder of Kindergarten schools? What is the present tendency toward establishing such schools?
3. When are members of Boards of Education elected? How many members constitute the Board of Education in township districts?
4. Do you consider that untrained teachers are qualified to teach school? Who do you consider are trained teachers?
5. Why is it not possible for teachers to become professional by following the directions of books on how to teach school?
6. Do you believe that children should be required to take their books home to prepare their lessons at night? Justify your answer.
7. How do you teach penmanship in your school?
8. Define "teaching" and "study."

GRAMMAR.

1. Define syntax, prosody, orthography and a word.
2. How do you determine when a verb is transitive, and when intransitive? Show that many verbs may be used as transitive or intransitive verbs.
3. Illustrate and discuss the subjective complement in all its forms.
4. Discuss the relative pronoun as to infection, antecedent, and use.
5. What are co-ordinate conjunctions? Subordinate conjunctions? Correlative conjunctions? Illustrate each by a sentence.
6. Parse the italicized words of the following quotation:
"Thoughts shut up want air,
And spoil, like bales unopened to the sun."
7. Write the synopsis of teach in the indicative mode, passive voice.
8. Make a complete classification of the pronoun as you would teach the subject of the pronoun.

GEOGRAPHY.

1. What is erosion? Where is erosion most rapid? What conditions are most favorable for rapid erosion?
2. What are glaciers? What is a terminal moraine?
3. What are tides? How often do tides occur?
4. Name and locate ten of the largest ports of Europe, and name the five chief exports of Europe.
5. For what are the following cities noted: Pittsburgh, Denver, New Orleans, Cincinnati, Kansas City, Minneapolis, Milwaukee, Duluth, Buffalo, and Portland.
6. In what counties are the following cities of Ohio: Lima, Dayton, Toledo, Sandusky, Palmyra, Marietta, Chillicothe, Newark, Tiffin, Washington, C. O.?
7. Name the states of the United States that are crossed or touched by the 40th degree of latitude. By the 80th degree of longitude.
8. Draw a rough map of Ohio, showing the chief rivers of Ohio and the divide between the Ohio and the Great Lakes.

HIGH SCHOOL AGRICULTURE.

1. What are the chief causes of waste land? How may most waste land be put under profitable cultivation?
2. Name the principal kinds of waste labor. Who suffers on account of waste labor?
3. What is the relative importance of sheep, cattle, horses and hogs in your county? What is the approximate weight of the average fleece of wool in Ohio?
4. What is the approximate market value at your market of the following farm products, at the present time: Eggs, butter, wheat, oats, corn and hogs?
5. Name several materials that are good fertilizers. Are weeds considered fertilizers?
6. What are fungous diseases? Among what fruits are fungous diseases most destructive? When and how often should fruit be sprayed for fungous diseases?
7. What is the average annual rainfall of Ohio? What is a good growing temperature?
8. When does a fence post rot most rapidly? Why? How may this be remedied to a great extent?

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SCOTT'S CROSSING.

Messrs. Chas. Fosnaugh, Earl and Harry Foust and Otis Saunders were at Sidney, O., over Sunday, guests of E. B. Foust and family.

The series of meetings that had been in progress for the past three weeks at Morris Chapel closed Sunday evening.

Mrs. Oscar Ludwig, who was taken sick at church Saturday night, is still quite ill.

Newton Cochran, of Delphos, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers, Monday.

Mrs. William Kantz and children were at Lima the latter part of the week, visiting friends.

Irvin Phillips was a business visitor in Lima, Saturday.

Rev. Frank Hook preached to the school children Saturday afternoon.

Scott, Carl and Ralph Sweeney, of Lima, were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Baxter were at Elda, Sunday, to attend quarterly meeting at the M. E. church.

Quite a few from this neighborhood attended the funeral services of George Siggle, held at Delphos Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ford were at Lima, Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phillips.

Miss Stemen, of Van Wert, and Miss Florence Armstrong, of Elda, were guests of Misses Phyllis and Inez Patton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alspaugh and family, of Lima, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Scott, Wednesday.

Born to Irvin Phillips and wife, a daughter.

Leroy, Curtis and Ernest Leist were visitors in Lima, Monday.

Mrs. Daniel Long went to Chicago, Sunday, account the serious illness of her brother, Harvey Bradley, who is suffering with pneumonia and diphtheria.

Miss Alta Miller, of Zion, was a guest of her cousin, Miss Velta Humphrey, over Sunday.

Charles May and family, of Needmore, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan, Sunday.

Charles Phillips, of Lima, was here, Wednesday.

Winter apparently has just begun.

MASONIC NOTICE.

Stated communication of Lima Council No. 20, R. 2 S. M., tomorrow (Tuesday) evening. Work on Cryptic degree. A large attendance is desired to make arrangements for the trip to Toledo for the conferring of the Superior Excellent Master degree upon a large class.

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Many clever new song numbers are introduced throughout the action of the piece, and the number "My Maid Moon," "Mother Goose Fab," "In the Shadow of an Old Day," "I've Never been Introduced to You," etc.

LYRIC THEATRE.
The Barrett Players will offer a complete novelty at the Lyric Theatre the first three days of this week, offering the laughable comedy, "The Time, The Place and The Girl," with the special musical numbers introduced. This great comedy has made a wonderful reputation for its clever laughing material and in selecting this play, the Barrett Players feel that they are giving the people of Lima something worth while. First performance to-night, with a special matinee tomorrow afternoon (Tuesday) at 2:30 o'clock. Ten cents all seats.

NOTICE.
National Union will call for regular meeting Thursday evening, February 6, at 7:30 o'clock at Donze hall.

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OLIVET YET UNDEFEATED

Saturday's Games in the Church League Result in No Change.

THREE TEAMS TIE FOR THIRD PLACE.

First Christian Quintette is Holding Firm to the Cellar Job.

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Trinity M. E.	4	1	.800
Central Ch. of C.	3	2	.600
First Baptist	3	2	.600
Market St. Presby.	3	2	.600
First U. B.	3	2	.600
S. S. Ch. of C.	1	4	.200
First Christian	0	5	.000

Saturday night's game in the Church league served to give the quintet from the Olivet Presbyterian church a firm hold upon the first place in the standing, put the Trinity M. E. five in a better position on the second base, and tied three others for the third rank. Market Street Presbyterian and First Baptist each winning, and the Central Church of Christ defeat placed all these three teams at a six hundred per cent mark. The First United Brethren has a lead of fifty per cent on the South Side Church of Christ for the sixth station, the latter holding onto number seven like a leech. The First Christian has an uncontested title to the cellar job, for the percentage of this quintette is nil—they have succeeded in losing every game.

The fight was good in some of the games, but in others the playing was very slow, and there seemed to be a prevalent indisposition among the players. The Trinity five romped

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Tues. Eve., Feb. 4

ed away from the tallenders in a surprising manner, the sensational playing, passing, and basket shooting of several of the men lending the only interest. The Olivet game was from the very first sensational, fast and furious playing marking the event from start to finish. The Market Street Presbyterian Church-Church of Christ contest was slow and uninteresting, the players doing very little hard playing, scoring only nine points as a total. The playing of guard Cover was the only real interesting part of the game. The little Presbyterian put all the spice into the game that was there.

Taylor as the central player for the First Baptist aggregation showed up the opposing team with a stream of baskets, and stood out as the individual star of the contest. The critics are all busy trying to diagnose the ailment of the tallenders, and hope the near future to prescribe for them. Saturday night's scores:

Olivet Presbyterian 20; South Side Church of Christ 11.

Market Street Presbyterian 7; Central Church of Christ 2.

Trinity M. E. 26; First Christian 9.

First Baptist 21; United Brethren 9.

EPWORTH METHODIST HAS SUCCESSFUL DAY

Largest Communion Class is Served by District Superintendent, in History.

Epworth Methodist church realized largely, as a result of the Sunday services. Both services were marked by large congregations. (In the evening Rev. (Dr.) M. M. Figgie, district superintendent, conducted the communion service, at the close of his sermon. More communicants were present than ever before known in the history of Epworth church. Twelve persons united with the church at the close of the Sunday services.

The revival services will continue throughout the week, the hour of beginning being at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. M. C. Howey is pastor of the Epworth church.

DEMPSTER FUNERAL SET FOR WEDNESDAY

The remains of the late W. C. Dempster, who died at his late home in Wichita Falls, Texas, on last Friday from a severe attack of typhoid fever, arrived in this city this morning at 2 o'clock, accompanied by the funeral party. They were taken at once to the funeral parlors of the local undertaker, owing to the hour of the arrival. Today they were removed to the residence of the mother of the deceased, Mrs. Rachel Dempster, at 810 south Pine street, from which home the funeral services are to be held.

Mr. Dempster had been ill but a short time when death overtook him from an attack of malignant typhoid. His wife, who before their marriage was Miss Maud Dilly, was at his bedside at the final hour, having been called there after he was taken sick. His brother, Attorney E. G. Dempster, of this city, was on his way to see his brother, when he met the funeral party coming to this city.

Coming to Lima this morning accompanying the remains of the former Lima man were his widow, her brother, Mr. George Dilly, and the brother, Mr. E. G. Dempster. The funeral services will be held at the residence of the mother of the deceased on Wednesday.

Remains arrived in this city this morning, accompanied by widow and brother.

FIREMEN KEPT BUSY SUNDAY

Responding to Calls in the Business District Yesterday.

LITTLE DAMAGE WAS WROUGHT.

Loewenstein Store Flooded When a Water Pipe Burst.

The central fire department was kept on the run yesterday, answering still alarms and calls to protect property, and prompt action on the part of the firemen prevented great damage to business property.

At 10:15 o'clock yesterday morning, the department was called to the Shappell block on south Main street to put out a small fire in the garage, located in the rear of the block. In some manner, the carbon in one of the automobiles had become ignited, but the trouble was remedied without any damage to the machine or garage.

At 11:36 o'clock, the department answered a still alarm to the J. W. Rowlands furniture store on north Main street, which was full of smoke. Investigation by the firemen located the trouble in the rear room of the Greek candy kitchen which adjoins the furniture store. One of the employees at the candy kitchen had built a huge fire in a heating stove, and the smoke permeated into the furniture store, giving it the appearance of being on fire. There was no damage.

The third call came into the central station at 2:30 o'clock p. m. from the vicinity of the Loewenstein store on the southeastern part of the public square, where a water pipe had burst and much damage was being wrought to the stock. The firemen effected an entrance to the building and repaired the damage, but not until quite a large amount of stock had been water-soaked.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

ADD SOCIAL EVENTS

Miss Medora Freeman was in Fremont the latter part of the week, where she is being entertained by Mrs. E. H. Hilt (Blanche Wheeler) and on Friday evening spoke at a largely attended meeting of the Federation of Women's clubs of Fremont, held at the home of Mrs. George Zimmerman. Mr. Hilt, editor of the Fremont Messenger, has offered his paper for the use of the federation for money-making purposes. As his offer was a generous one and seemed a satisfactory method of adding to the depleted funds of the federation, it was accepted.

Mrs. Truesdale, so prominent here in connection with the meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution, will be a great factor in the issuance of the paper. The Messenger of Saturday evening had this to say of Miss Freeman:

"Miss Medora Freeman, of Lima, who has been visiting Mrs. E. H.

Hilt, was present and told in a most interesting and entertaining manner of her experiences in editing a paper in Lima, similar to the one the federation is attempting here. Their first attempt netted them over \$1400. This was such an incentive that two others followed, clearing many hundreds of dollars in each instance. Her experiences in the organization of such an undertaking will doubtless prove of much value here."

Owing to the revival services, now in progress at Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, the meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society, scheduled ordinarily for Wednesday afternoon, has been postponed for a week. The program will be announced later. Mrs. Glen Wallace is secretary.

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Reflecting on the Morals of Lima's Citizenship and Wage Conditions.

CHIEF EARNST MAKES DENIAL.

Movement on Foot to Protect the City From Base Slander.

A movement has been started by several of the leading business men of the city, which it is hoped will crystallize into sentiment so strong as to prevent the repetition of the publication of an article such as appeared in the leading daily papers of the state this morning, purporting to represent the true condition of affairs in Lima.

The article in question, which is absolutely without foundation and which has presented Lima in an unfavorable light through the entire country, both as regards the morality of its citizenship and its labor conditions, is printed in full below, just as it appeared in the city dailies:

"Lima, O., Feb. 2.—Revolutionary stories involving middle-aged business men were told to Police Chief Earnst by eight factory girls, ranging in age from 14 to 18 years, who were arrested today.

"Not only did the girls name several prominent men, but declared to the police that scores of other girls had been forced to leave home because of the low wages received in the factories.

"Chief Earnst found that the girls had been lured to Lima by tales of fascinating city life, only to have their romantic dreams shattered by inadequate factory wages.

Inquiry at the office of Chief Earnst this morning brought out the emphatic statement from that official that there had been no develop-

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ments at police station to warrant the publication of the above article. He further added:

"Hardly a week passes but what this department is called upon to hold out a protecting hand to some unfortunate girl who has gone astray, but in my opinion, Lima today is far ahead of the majority of the cities of Ohio from a moral standpoint. In a city of this size, it is but natural that there would be cases of delinquency from time to time, but they are not of such manner as to call forth such an article as you have shown me.

"Our policy in dealing with moral delinquents is one of secrecy, as very often the life of a young girl is blighted by the publication of her wrong-doing to the entire world. During the past ten days, we have had a number of cases under investigation, but the circumstances surrounding these cases have not been of the revolting nature described in the newspaper article."

Wage Conditions.

An investigation at the office of the secretary of the Lima Progressive Association will substantiate the statement that the girls employed in the Lima factories are as well paid as in any city in the state, and much better than in the majority of them. It is unnecessary to add that the character of this class of Lima's citizenship is of the highest, and that a injustice has been done them in the article which has been given such wide publicity.

As to the statement that prominent business men were involved in the downfall of the eight girls, inquiry at police station fails to substantiate this charge, which is a reflection on the honor and character of Lima's business men.

In short, it appears that the article was inspired in order to furnish news of a sensational nature, with no thought of whether the statements contained therein were substantiated by facts.

Other Instances.

The feeling that Lima is being misrepresented to the world at large by unscrupulous correspondents has been only accentuated by the publication of the article this morning. Less than two months ago, the news was scattered broadcast that Lima was in the throes of a race war, and that hundreds of desperate negroes were at large over the city scattering destruction in their path.

The facts in the case were that a group of negroes employed by the Warden-Allen Company became involved in a fight over a crap game in their shanty in south Lima. One negro was slightly cut, while three others claimed to have been robbed. Nine-tenths of the people in the city were never aware that any trouble had taken place.

When the "trusties" from the Ohio penitentiary who were stationed at Lima State hospital escaped to the city and indulged in a little spree, sensational articles given front page prominence regaled the fact to the readers of the metropolitan papers that prominent downtown cafes were wrecked, and riot was in progress.

These and other instances have been the means of placing Lima in an unenviable position among other cities in the country, and have aroused the public spirited citizens of the city to take steps to prevent the continuance of the practice, if it can possibly be done.

NOTICE.

Shawnee Rebekah lodge 280 meets in regular session Tuesday evening, February 4th, at 7:30 o'clock. All members earnestly requested to be present. By order of

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GAYNOR'S ASSAILANT DIES IN AN ASYLUM.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 2.—James J. Gallagher, the man who shot Mayor Gaynor, of New York, nearly two years ago at Hoboken, N. J., died today at the New Jersey state hospital for the insane. Death was due to paresis. He had been in ill health since January 18, 1912, having been transferred from the New Jersey prison where he had been sentenced to serve 12 years on a charge of assault upon Street Commissioner William Edwards, of New York City, who was with Mayor Gaynor at the time.

Gallagher was never prosecuted for shooting the mayor. This was at Mayor Gaynor's request.

O'DAY TO UMPIRE IN AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Hank O'Day, last season's manager of the Cincinnati National league team, will sign a contract in a few days to be an umpire in the American league, according to information given out by his friends here today.

They also say that O'Day claims \$1,000 bonus for his service last year which he declares he was promised by President Herrmann if the Cincinnati team finished in the first division.

SUGAR MARKET.

New York, Feb. 3.—Raw sugar steady; Muscovado 89 test 2.98c; centrifugal 96 test 3.48c; molasses 89 test 2.73c. Refined steady.

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THE WEATHER.

Columbus, O., Feb. 2.—For Ohio:
Tuesday fair and colder with cold
wave.

In a special message which he
submitted to the general assembly
Wednesday, Governor Cox made it
plain that he favors the basic prin-
ciple of the low rate tax law, to-wit:
that clause which limits the max-
imum levy that may be made.

The supreme court recently de-
cided that the charges for interest
and sinking fund do not come with-
in the maximum prescribed, the ef-
fect being an annulment of the in-
terior limitation of 10 mills plus 6
per cent and the limit of 15 mills
which may be authorized by the peo-
ple at an election. In view of the
universal agreement of lawyers that
the opinion was sound, the govern-
or felt it was his duty to call at-
tention to the defect which the su-
preme court found in the existing
law, and to advise the immediate
enactment of the necessary legisla-
tion to correct the same.

The governor's message reads:
"Pursuant to the duty imposed
upon the executive constitution with
respect to communicating information
to a condition of the state, I
respectfully call your attention to a
condition developed by a decision of
the supreme court of Ohio, rendered
January 25, 1913.

"It is held by that honorable body,
and there is wide-spread opinion
that the interpretation is sound, that
the interest and sinking fund
charges do not come within the pre-
scribed maxima, as the act is drawn.

"This violates the basic principle
of the law, creates a breach in the
limitation, and trespasses on the
fixed purpose of the people to es-
tablish a base of economy in gov-
ernment.

"Present valuations on property
were made with a common under-
standing of the maximum rate of
taxation, and any action in departure
from this, although made possible
by the decision of the court, might
be regarded as bad faith upon the
part of the state.

"The Smith law may have to be
revised by experience, but there will
remain nothing to refine, if its
construction stands without legisla-
tive repair.

"The budget commissions meet
the first Monday in June. Whatever
action your honorable body might
in its wisdom take, should ensue
by March 1, in order that it become
effective before the date fixed by
statute for the beginning of the
budget labors."

GOVERNMENT LOANS TO
FARMERS.

In the midst of the legislation
that is being enacted by congress
the interest of the farmer is not being
overlooked. The proposition which
has been discussed so generally for
the past two years, of the govern-
ment providing cheap money for
those farmers who need or wish to
borrow money is gradually taking
concrete form and it looks as though
some law would be formulated that
will bring about the desired result.
In a recent edition of a Boston
newspaper appeared the following

editorial upon this important sub-
ject:

"It does not necessarily detract
from the plan proposed by Repre-
sentative Baughman of Ohio, for the
benefit of farmers requiring develop-
ment loans, that he is willing to be-
gin in a very small way. All he
asks is an appropriation of \$100,-
000 for the installation of his
scheme. His intention, evidently, is
to put into practical operation, in
the simplest form possible, the
"rural credits" system advocated by
President Taft. To this end he
Baughman measure provides for the
establishment of a bureau of farm
loans in the treasury department,
the same to be in charge of a com-
missioner of presidential appoint-
ment. The secretary of the treas-
ury would be authorized to provide
a fund from which farm loans could
be made. United States bonds would
be issued for this purpose, and
bonds should draw interest at a rate
not to exceed 4 per cent. Loans
would be made only on farms under
50 per cent cultivation, and they
would be secured by mortgage. The
loans should never exceed 60 per
cent of the value of the property.

"Several countries have farm loan
systems. In successful operation.
These systems in every case are
backed by the respective govern-
ments. The Irish and the German
systems are accounted among the
best. In neither case is the bor-
rower brought into direct contact
with the government. Of the two
the German system is the simpler
and seems to be far the more prac-
ticable. All loans are made by
banks that obtain capital through
government credit at a much lower
rate than 4 per cent. It would seem
only the part of wisdom for congress
to inquire thoroughly into rural
credit systems prevailing elsewhere
before adopting any plan. Other
countries have had experience; it
has taken some years to bring their
systems to the present point of per-
fection, and the United States is
undoubtedly welcome to all the in-
formation on the subject they have
to give. Probably any European
system would have to be changed
somewhat to meet necessities in
the United States, but this would be
a small matter compared with an
attempt to enter upon experiment in
a field already well nigh exhausted
and mastered by other nations."

State Dairy and Food Commis-
sioner Strode won the first round of
his fight against unscrupulous deal-
ers Tuesday when the house passed
the King bill providing for the sales
of foodstuffs by weight. The author
has explained the purpose of the
measure as follows:

The people of Ohio have been
molested out of thousands of dollars
annually by the use of measures
that are false. Conditions have been
aggravated to an intolerable degree
by the unscrupulous tradesmen who
use the "stovepipe measure," "slid-
ing bottoms," "overlapping meas-
ures" and other such devices.

The use of the measure system is
prohibited by this bill, except where
the seller can induce the buyer to
contract in writing to let him use
his measures. The measure system
is bound to be inaccurate; the
weight system approximates accu-
racy. The honest merchant as well
as the buyer is now protected. He
is enabled to compete with the class
which has been quoting lower prices
and using crooked measures. Watch
the scales, and with a vigilant local
seal of weights and measures safe-
guarding you, you can not be
cheated.

PRESIDENT WILL BE NOTIFIED.

Although he has every reason to
suspect what happened at the No-
vember election, President-elect Wil-
son has not yet been formally noti-
fied of his election as president. This
very necessary formality, will, under
the constitution, be performed on the
second Wednesday in February, af-
ter which the president-elect will be
expected to adjust his affairs so as to
be inducted into his new office on
the fourth of March. Forty-eight
messengers are now busily engaged
in putting the finishing touches on
the presidential election. They come
from the nearest and furthestmost
parts of the United States, with ex-
penses paid, and each carries a pack-
et addressed to "The President of
the United States Senate."

There is an important function.
They are charged to deliver the cer-
tified votes of the various electoral
colleges to the presiding officer of
the United States Senate, so that the
president-elect may be formally de-
clared "elected" on March 4. For
this service the United States pays
\$13,972.25 every four years.

On the second Wednesday in Feb-
ruary, according to the constitution,
the certified copies are carried by two
messengers, with the presiding offi-
cer and members of the senate fol-
lowing, to the house chambers, where

in the presence of both houses of
congress, they are opened, counted,
compared with duplicate copies, and
accepted as documentary proof of
the election of the president.

While the senate is now presided
over by both Senators Bacon and
Gallinger, in alternating periods, it
is to the Georgian that falls the hon-
or of "declaring" the election of Wil-
son. He will occupy a place on the
rostrum beside Speaker Clark and
will preside at the ceremonies. This
formally closes the election and
marks the inauguration of the in-
coming executive.

Two bearers who bring the votes
of the electoral college of Oregon
travels a distance of approximately
3100 miles, the greatest of any, and
receives \$783.50.

The messenger from Olympia,
Wash., has the second farthest jour-
ney, covering 3004 miles, for \$751.
The California vote is brought from
Sacramento, 2973 miles from the na-
tional capital, costing \$744.75.

Annapolis is the nearest state cap-
ital, and lies within an hour's ride
of Washington. He who brings the
vote of this state, although exercising
a commission equally important with
any of the others, receives only
\$9.50.

QUICK, JOHN, THE NAPTHA.

New York, Feb. 3.—The Standard
Oil Company of New Jersey today
declared a dividend of \$40 a share.
It was explained that this divid-
end represented monies owed to
the company by its subsidiaries at
the time of the dissolution. In
round figures the total payments to
stockholders will amount to \$40,-
000,000.

JOHN SHEA
PASSED AWAY

Former Lima Man Died in
Greenville, Ohio,
Yesterday.

REMAINS BROUGHT
TO HIS OLD HOME

Leaves One Sister and an
Aunt and an Uncle in
This City.

Word was received in this city
morning of the death at Greenville,
Ohio, of Mr. John Shea, a son of the
late Thomas Shea, and formerly a
resident of this city. The body of
the deceased was prepared for burial
at Greenville, and was sent to this
city, arriving here this evening.
Few of the particulars of the
death have been received here. Mr.
Shea was for many years a Lima
resident, and at the time of his
death had reached the age of 40
years. Mr. Shea leaves one sister,
Mrs. John Kennedy, of Cincinnati.
She was notified at once of her
brother's death and is now in this
city. There are also two other sur-
viving relatives in this city, Mrs.
Michael Nash, of north West street,
and Mr. William Shea of north Mc-
Donald street. The funeral services
will be held in one of the Catholic
churches in this city, and interment
will be made in the Gethsemane
cemetery.

TREASURER LOSS
LIMITED BY BOND.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 3.—The appel-
late court here today held that the
treasurer of a township, county or
city which has lost money through a
bank failure, cannot be held respon-
sible for the loss over and above his
bond, if he uses ordinary care in de-
positing the money. The decision
came in the case of Brooklyn town-
ship against William Baumgartner,
former township treasurer. Baum-
gartner, under bond of \$10,000, de-
posited \$13,900 in the Farmers' and
Merchants' bank, which failed. His
bonding company paid \$10,000 to
the township trustees, but on their
suing for the rest of the amount, the
court ruled in Baumgartner's favor.

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12 Fever and Ague, Malaria.....	25
13 Piles, Blind or Bleeding, External, Internal.....	25
14 Catarrh, Inflammation, Cold in Head.....	25
15 Whooping Cough, Spasmodic Cough.....	25
16 Asthma, Oppressed, Difficult Breathing.....	25
17 Kidney Disease.....	25
18 Nervous Debility, Vital Weakness.....	25
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INCOME TAX
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Thirty-six States Have Rat-
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Uncle Sam Will Benefit One
Hundred Millions
Annually.

Washington, Feb. 3.—An income
tax is now one of the provisions of
the constitution of the United
States.

Wyoming's ratification today of
the income tax amendment—the
sixteenth change in the constitution
and the first since the reconstruc-
tion—completed a list of thirty-six
states—three-fourths of the Union,
which have approved the provision.

Congress now will enact a law to
levy the tax, and it probably will
become effective during the ex-
traordinary session to be called by
President-elect Wilson in March.
The tax itself, its provisions and its
limitations are all left to congress.
It is expected that a draft of an
income tax law will be introduced in
the house before the end of this ses-
sion and will then be reintroduced
and passed soon after the extra
session convenes.

The democrats have been con-
fident of the ultimate success of the
income tax amendment and have
made their tariff plans with this in
view. Representative Hull, of Ten-
nessee, who prepared the excise tax
bill which congress failed to pass
last session, is working upon the
income tax provision. When finally
introduced the income tax will be
designed to take the place of both
the existing corporation tax law and
the proposed excise tax. It will
probably levy a tax on incomes as
low as \$5,000.

The income tax legislation must
originate in the house, as do the
tariff bills. While the present cor-
poration tax raises only about \$38,-
000,000 the general income tax is
expected to bring in nearly \$100,-
000,000 annually toward the sup-
port of the government.

YOUNG FORTUNE
TIED UP IN DOGS.

New York, Feb. 3.—Six English
bull dogs said to be worth \$37,500,
which Arnold Lawson, son of
Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston,
brought to America from England
yesterday, are said to make up the
finest and most costly pack of bull
dogs ever imported into this coun-
try. The dogs were housed during
the trip across the Atlantic each in
a tiny cottage on board the steamer
America. The collection includes
Champion Centaur, four and a half
years old, which has taken 12 cham-
pionship prizes, and beaten every
lightweight bull dog in England,
according to Mr. Lawson. Champion
Beaucliff Rhinoceros and Irish
Boy were two noted heavyweights in
the collection.

A 29 per cent duty was required
on the dogs but Mr. Lawson hopes
to have this rebated on the grounds
that the dogs have been brought
here for improving the native breed.

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dark and beautiful and even today
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ful dark shade of hair which is so
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with the task of gathering the sage
leaves and the mussy mixing at
home. Simply ask at any drug store
for a 50 cent bottle of the ready to

GARMENT WORKERS
STRIKE IN BOSTON.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 3.—Five thou-
sand garment workers employed in
46 shops in this city struck today to
enforce a demand for increased
wages, an eight hour day, abolition
of tenement house work and recog-
nition of the union. No disorder
was reported.

AUTO BANDITS ON
TRIAL FOR LIVES.

Paris, Feb. 3.—Paris was on the
tip-toe of expectation from an early
hour today awaiting the beginning
of the trial of the gang of 22 auto-
mobile bandits who terrorized the
French capital and its environs a
year ago. They committed many
murders and audacious robberies,
until their leader, Jules Bannot, the
"Demon Chauffeur," was killed in
April after a fierce battle against
thousands of police and troops.

The crimes committed by this no-
torious gang were often of a most
daring character and frequently were
carried out in broad daylight.
The list of accusations against
them include 22 murders. Among
the accused brought up for trial to-
day were three young women who
were closely connected with the band-
its in all their operations.

SALOON LID
NOT TILTED

Not an Arrest Made for Sun-
day Violation by the
Police.

BIG HARVEST ON
SATURDAY NIGHT.

Fifteen Arrested for Minor
Offenses During the
Night.

Yesterday was one of the most
quiet Sundays in the history of Lima
police court annals of late years, ac-
cording to the older officers of the
force. Not an arrest was made by
the police, while all efforts by de-
tectives to detect liquor violation
were futile. It was stated this morn-
ing that the lid was on tight yester-
day, and that none of the former
liquor law offenders took chances of
renewing their acquaintance with
Mayor Shook this morning.

The harvest of offenders was quite
large Saturday evening, however,
and before the night was over, 15
men had been arrested and jailed
for minor offenses.

Oscar Cramer, one of the first to
be arrested Saturday evening, was
charged with malicious destruction
of property, the complainant being
the manager of the Lima Cut Price
Clothing and Shoe Company. He
reported to the police that Cramer
had smashed a collar case with his
fist after a misunderstanding with
one of the clerks. Cramer was lo-
cated soon afterward by the police,
and lodged in jail. He pleaded
guilty this morning, and was fined
\$5 and costs. He was unable to pay
his fine, and is still in jail.

Within a half hour after his ar-
rest, his brother, W. F. Cramer,
and two others joined him in pri-
son, the three having been arrested
on a disorderly charge by Merchant
Police Vinegar. The other two re-
gistered as Charles Leichter and
William Sampson. According to the
police, the three young men started
a disturbance in the John Schenk
saloon on north Central avenue. A
late investigation exonerated Sam-
pson, and he was released. Cramer
and Leichter pleaded guilty this
morning, however, and were fined
\$1 and costs each.

The balance of the Monday morn-
ing crowd were charged with drunk-
enness. Three of them, James Mack,
Charles Cunningham and Frank Joy,
were repeaters, and drew \$5 and
costs each. The others, John New-
man, Ed Holtz, Charles Ratkey,
Harley Point, Joe Snyder and John
Swanson were fined \$1 and costs
each.

James Driscoll, arrested Saturday
night for drunkenness, forfeited a
\$10 bond which he had posted for
his release by not appearing for
trial this morning.

CHESTNUT HARD COAL AT THE
CONSUMERS' COAL COMPANY, E.
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PERSONALS

Miss Bonnie Linn, organist at St.
Paul's Lutheran church, is visiting
with friends in Dayton. Miss
Dorothea Richards presided at the
pipe organ at St. Paul's church
Sunday, in her absence. Miss Linn
will return to Lima the latter part
of the week.

Mrs. Walter Jackson has returned
from a visit with her sister, Mrs.
Guido Spencer of Carey.

Mrs. Havil and Miss Ruby Tobias
of Wapakoneta, were guests over
Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. Louis
Snyder of west McKibben street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis of south
Main street, leave today for Col-
umbus, O., to visit friends.

Mrs. H. P. Whitely and daughter,
Marguerite, have returned to Cleve-
land, after a visit with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Beck, of the
south side.

Mrs. Frank Cutshall is spending
a short time in Fort Wayne, Ind.,
with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lang.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Michael of the
Ladies' Outfitting Co., left Sunday
for a two weeks' trip to the eastern
markets to purchase spring mer-
chandise.

F. D. Carpenter, W. B. Milligan
and C. O. Sullivan, local officials of
the Western Ohio Railroad Com-
pany, are in Cleveland today on
business for the company.

**WIDOW SWINDLER
LANDS IN PRISON.**

Cleveland, O., Feb. 3.—James L.
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whose operations in this and other

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In Oklahoma This Spring.
Free Demonstration Car is
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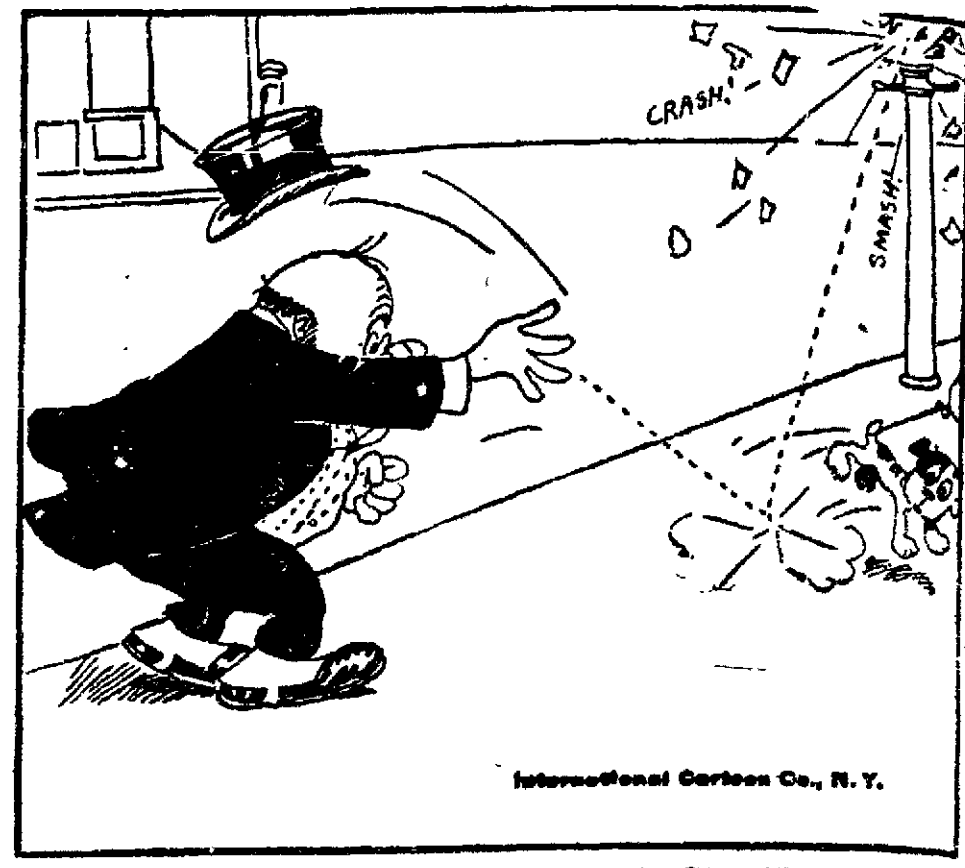
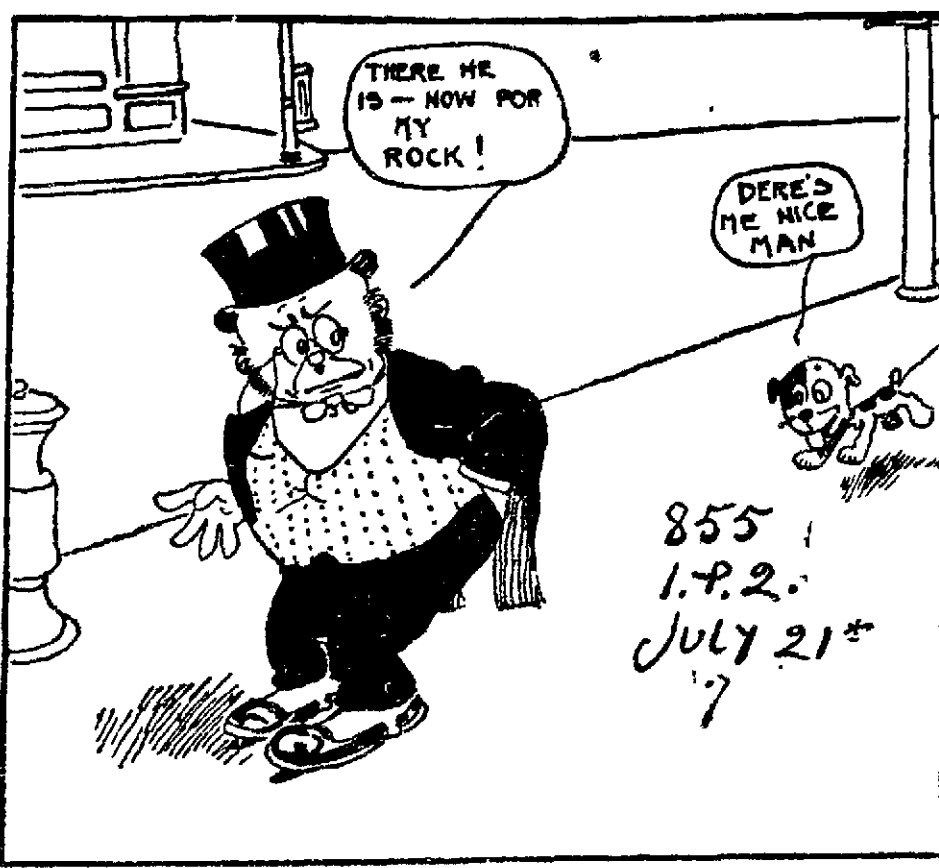
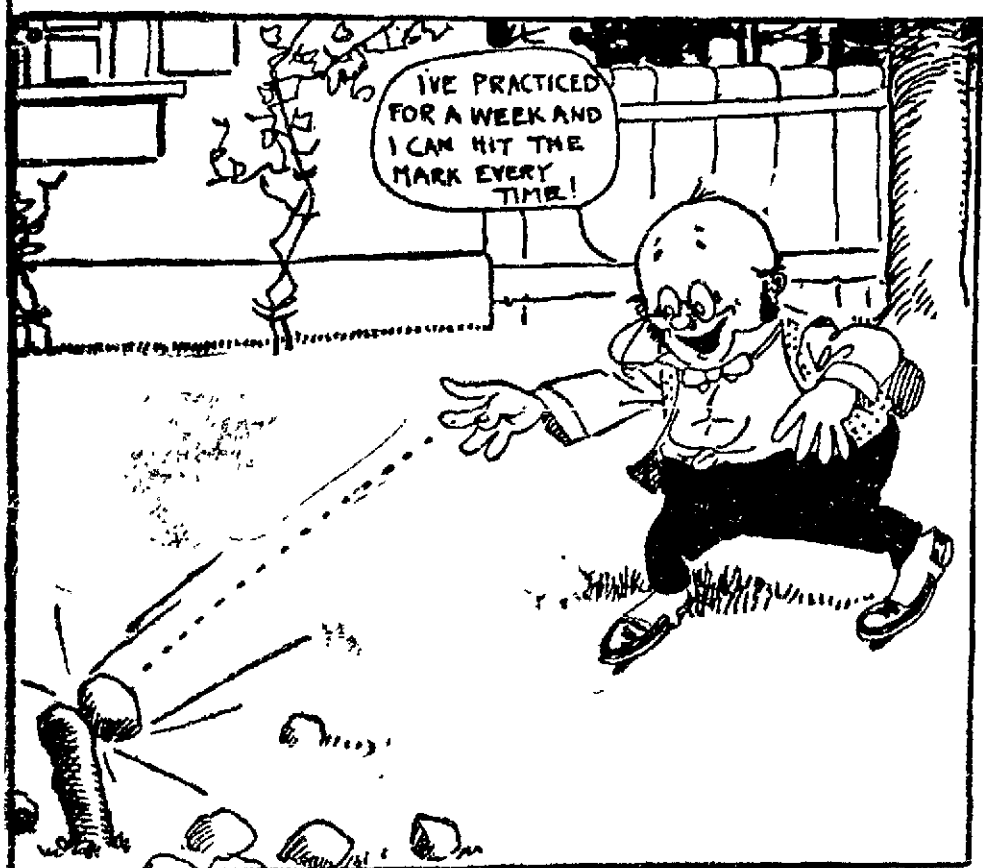
northern Ohio cities are alleged to
have netted him in the neighborhood
of half a million dollars, was brought
here today from Boston, the scene
of his recent arrest. The technical
charge against him is using the
mails to defraud.

On being arraigned before Fed-
eral Judge Day, McNicholas' bond
was fixed at \$20,000, pending the
furnishing of which he will be held
in jail.

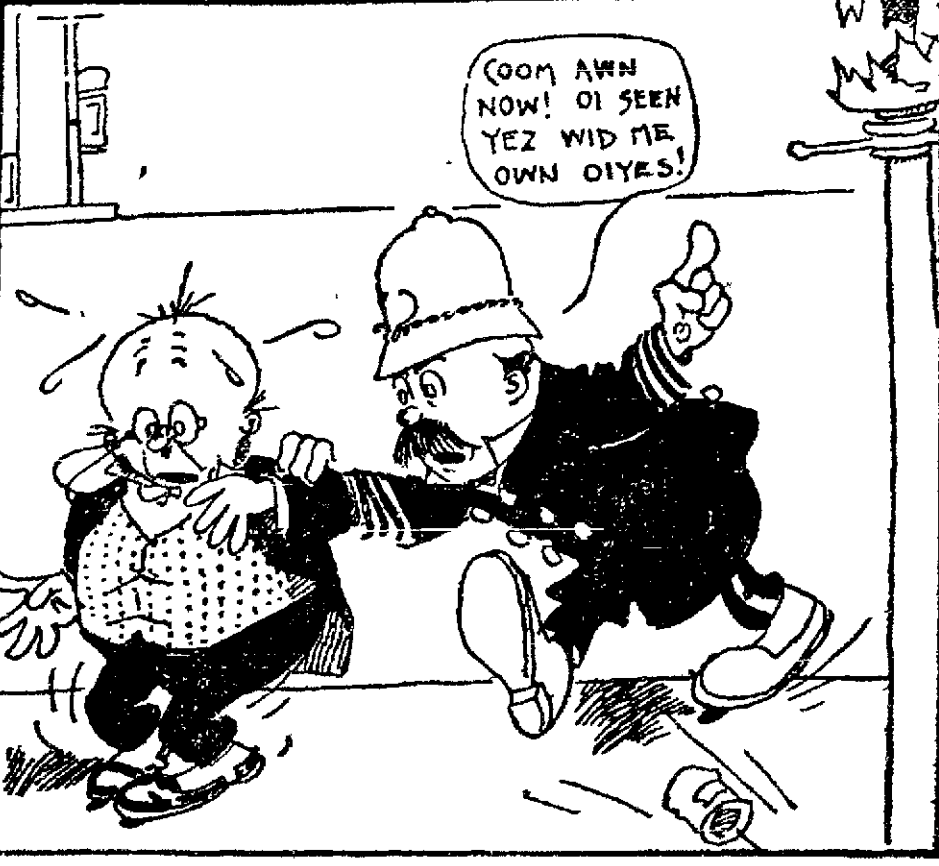
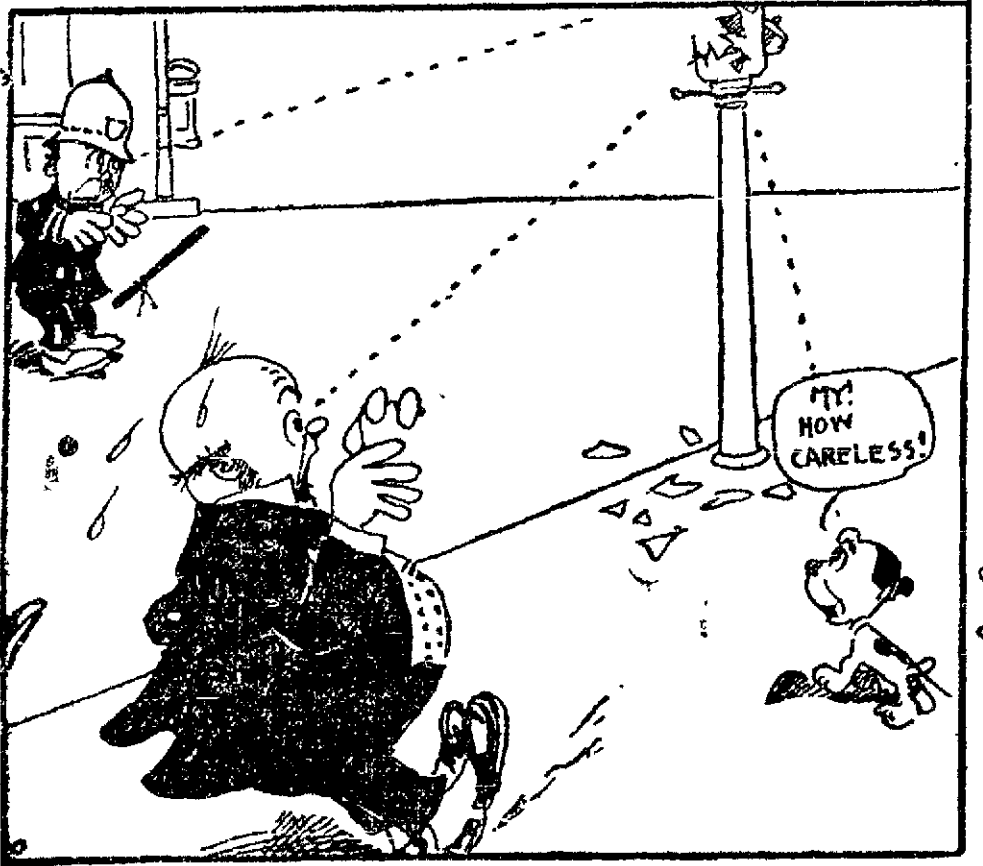
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THANKFUL HE WAS NOT A WOMAN.

The late Lawson Tait, of England, the great woman's doctor, said he never went to bed at night without thanking heaven he was not born a woman. No doctor ever knew better than he what women have to suffer at some times of their lives. It was an American woman long since passed on reward who introduced a

simple combination of roots and herbs called Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that has proved wonderfully successful in mitigating suffering and curing diseases of women. It has brought unspeakable relief to thousands of women who suffered from female ills.

A HOUSE FOR RENT? TELL THE PEOPLE ABOUT IT THROUGH THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT WANT COLUMN.

ELIDA.

Mrs. Otto Montague and two children, of Lakeview, and her mother, Mrs. William Keller, of Lima, visited last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Abe Keller.

Mrs. John Reedy is visiting her children in Indianapolis, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. John Noggle and daughter, Gladys, of Ellensburg, Washington, arrived here Wednesday night. They came to the home of Mrs. Noggle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sherrick, and today (Monday) left for several days' visit with his parents, in Gibsonburg, O. In the near future Mr. Noggle will go to Alabama on business. They will not return to Ellensburg to live but have not fully decided where they will locate.

Mrs. William Lang has been quite ill with tonsillitis and lagrippe.

Lenore, the little five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stalter, is suffering with pneumonia.

Miss Rhoda Brown spent Saturday in Lima, with Miss Pearl Fess.

Rev. F. L. Hook was a business visitor in Toledo, last Wednesday.

Miss Clara and Harry Kelley, of Monroeville, Ind., are here visiting at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Wm. Evans.

Misses Cleo Luttrell, Minnie Heath, Warren Sherrick, of Lima, Joe Bertling, of Ft. Recovery, and Don McKenzie, of Delphos, enjoyed a six o'clock dinner given by Eva Watt, at her home in Lima, one evening last week.

On last Wednesday evening a crowd of young married people gathered at the home of Mrs. Clyde Pfeiffer to remind her that the following day was her birthday anniversary. She was not expecting the crowd and was very much surprised upon their arrival. An oyster supper with all accessories was enjoyed at 10 o'clock. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pfeiffer, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Shoemaker, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Sherrick, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Furry, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley John, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. John, Mr. and Mrs. George Brunk, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kephart, Prof. and Mrs. E. E. Eldy and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stemen.

Miss Minnie Heath entertained the members of the B. G. club and their friends at her home on last Wednesday evening. The affair was planned as a farewell to Miss Cleo Luttrell, who left on Thursday for Stapleton, Ala. Games and music were enjoyed and a luncheon consisting of ice cream, cake, mince, chocolates and salted nuts closed the evening's pleasures. The guests included Misses Eva Watt, Zelma Bechtel, Helen Boserker, Vergil Sheets, W. P. Althaus and Warren Sherrick, of Lima, Miss Rubene Linderman and Don McKenzie, of Delphos, Lee Hook, of Van Wert, Joe Bertling, of Fort Jennings and Misses Ruth Hook, Cleo Luttrell, Minnie Heath, and Glen John, of Elida.

Mrs. Mattie Judkins spent one day of last week with Mrs. L. M. Myers.

Mrs. Ray John entertained the

members of the girls' embroidery club at her home in Lima, last Wednesday evening in a most pleasing manner. The 6 o'clock dinner was the main feature of the evening's pleasure and consisted of bread and butter squares, veal loaf, creamed potatoes, scalloped oysters, pickles, fruit gelatine cake and coffee.

Mrs. J. D. Crites and daughter, Mrs. John Spriggle and her little daughter were entertained one day last week by Mrs. Belle Miller. Mr. Spriggle arrived Saturday from Hastings, Neb., to spend a few days with relatives.

A mean stuffy cold, with hoarse wheezy breathing, is just the kind that runs into bronchitis or pneumonia. Don't trifle with such serious conditions but take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound promptly. Quick and beneficial results are just what you can expect from this great medicine. It soothes and heals the inflamed air passages. It stops the hoarse racking cough. M. M. Keller.

DELPHOS.

Over 200 business men, professional men and citizens of Delphos, together with those from other cities invited as guests of the club, assembled at the social rooms in the K. of P. block last Wednesday evening. Shortly after arriving they were ushered into the large and commodious banquet hall which was nicely decorated for the occasion, and to the air of the Delphos orchestra took their places at the banquet tables.

After an invocation by Rev. Otis Harter, of the Presbyterian church, all were seated to partake of one of the most sumptuous banquets ever served in Delphos. The feast was prepared by the ladies of the Delphos Library association.

At the close of the banquet and after smokes generously donated by the Deisel-Wenmer company, had been passed, Dr. J. R. Tillotson, president of the club, took the stand as toastmaster of the evening.

The first speaker of the evening was James W. Althaus, of Lima. In his address he pointed out the danger and the good points in our recently adopted municipal home rule amendment to the constitution. John Miller, formerly principal of the Delphos high school favored the meeting with a most instructive and beneficial talk on a subject that should be of interest to the people of Delphos from the fact that the Miami and Erie canal passes through our city, to be a connecting link between the great lakes and the Ohio river.

One of the most enjoyable speeches that was ever listened to by the members of the Commercial club was given by Frank Mulholand, president of the Toledo chamber of commerce. His subject was on "Be Good for Something," and at the beginning of this address he offered the following toast to the ladies of the Delphos Library association: "The ladies—our arms for their defense; their arms for our recompense."

Besides the three speakers, the following were present as guests of the club: Dr. C. W. Moots and Dr.

Weadock, of Toledo; A. L. Fisher, commissioner, and Beach Graham, commissioner-elect, of Allen county; William Munsinger, William Ayers and Ed. Walborn, commissioners of Van Wert county. The event was the most successful affair that has ever been held by the Commercial club of Delphos.

The wedding of Miss Anna Schwiner and Mr. Fred Suever, well known young people of Landeck, occurred at that place, Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Harry McCleod, Mrs. A. C. Feltz, Miss Mayme Kempker, Mrs. Theo. Odenweller and Mrs. J. R. Tillotson attended the excellent program given by the Women's Music club at Elks' home last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Justus and son, Lewis Justus, of Bluffton, Ind., are the guests of Mrs. Harry McCleod, of N. Pierce street.

Miss Mayme Kempker is spending a few days at the home of Mrs. John Longmire, at Lima.

JANUARY REPORT OF LIMA RESCUE HOME

Sixty orders were filled for family provisions. It is a common thing to receive the following note: "Mr. Welty, will you send me some potatoes, lard and any kind of spread, or anything you can spare, as I am clear out of everything."

I called at a home where there are two old people to see how they are getting along, and they said, "We had our breakfast, but have nothing but a part of a loaf of bread," and the bedding was very poor, a blanket and a light comfort.

How true it is that the poor we always have with us. It is a great blessing and reward to help those that are in need.

Six hundred and seventy-eight received nightly entertainment. The following is a letter from one of the boys that came to our place:

"Gilmerton, Va., Jan. 12, 1913.

Dear Sir—I know you think hard of me for leaving you as I did, but I got so homesick that I just had to come home. Mr. Welty, do not think that I do not appreciate what you have done for me. I am not drinking anything and am going to live a better life and be a comfort to my people in their old age. Now, Mr. Welty, I got an overcoat from you and if you think I owe you anything for it please let me know and I will send the amount to you. I am working and doing fairly well. This is a dry town, and I am going to be a dry man. Please give my love and best regards to Mrs. Welty, and I hope the little one is in good health, and may it prosper and be a pleasure to you and Mrs. Welty. Give my best regards to the young lady in the kitchen who used to help you and ask her to write me a few lines. I shall never leave home again on a rambling trip, and if I should ever go it will be as a gentleman and not as a hobo. You would be glad to see me tonight. I am going to church and am dressed so you would hardly know me. I know that you are doing good work, and may God bless you and give you the best of health to continue. Now, Mr. Welty, if there has been any mail for me. . . . Thanking you

In advance, I remain your most devoted friend

O. H. SHEPPARD.

1712 meals served during the month.

Amount received, \$137.36.
Amount expended, \$135.55.

On Wednesdays and Thursdays we give out clothing, and magazines are always accepted.

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Persons troubled with partial paralysis are often very much benefited by massaging the affected parts thoroughly when applying Chamberlain's Liniment. This Liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.

TRIBE OF BEN HUR.

All members of Lincoln Court, No. 23, Tribe of Ben Hur, who have promised to take part in cantata and all others who will take part please be present Wednesday evening, February 5th.

MARGARET GORDON, Scribe.

WHAT IS DOING IN OHIO.

Here is an Easy Way to Keep in Touch With Our Big Buckeye State.

The legislature this winter will deal with many important subjects, and it will keep the people of this state on the jump to keep track of what is being done at Columbus. Besides enacting legislation under amendments to the constitution, there will be no fewer than 800 to 1,000 bills to be considered.

For instance, a proposal that will

really interest all the taxpayers is the one to increase the one per cent tax limit to one and one-half per cent.

One of the real warm fights, of course, will be the liquor license proposition.

We are citing the one per cent law and the liquor matter for the purpose of calling your attention to The Times-Democrat's Ohio Almanac. With a copy of our Ohio Almanac you can find out exactly what the one per cent tax limit act is, and what amendments will mean to it. That is true also of the liquor matter. Our Almanac not only prints the liquor tax law, but the liquor tax receipts, as well as local option laws.

The Times-Democrat's Ohio Almanac carries 320 pages of information just as timely and valuable as the two items indicated herein. And with these two items may be found 100,000 other facts about Ohio, in which every man, woman and student will be interested. The information carried in this Buckeye State Encyclopedia and Guide covers Ohio more thoroughly than any other half-dozen books you may secure. It prints the names of all state, county and city officials; gives a history of the state department with interesting statistics concerning the farms in this and every other county; statistics about manufacturing, population and elections.

We are particularly proud of the election statistics carried in the Ohio Almanac and Handbook of Information. It is the one publication in which you can find the vote given for president and governor for 1912, and for every other state official. The votes are given by counties, with comparative statements showing gain and loss over the vote of the last preceding election. The election statistics also include the vote by counties on every one of the important constitutional amendments submitted to the people last September. In this Handbook you will be able to see how this county and every other county voted on the principal constitutional proposals. Our Ohio Almanac is so full of good stuff that we could write columns about its contents. Every one who has seen a copy compliments it highly.

Herbert S. Bigelow, president of the Constitutional Convention, and a member of the present House of Representatives, says, "I am enthusiastic about your Almanac—it is a meritorious piece of work."

Professor C. B. Galbreath, secretary of the Constitutional Convention, and former state librarian, says, "It is the best thing about Ohio put between covers."

Secretary Opha Moore, of the Ohio Manufacturers' Association, says, "Every business man should have a copy of it—it is valuable."

Professor Henry Williams, editor of the Ohio Teacher, says, "It is so good that it ought to be used as a text book in the public schools."

You will say even more complimentary things about this Handbook of Information, when you look over a copy. The regular price of the Almanac is 50 cents. By using the coupon printed in another part of this paper you can get a copy for 25 cents.

Women Appreciate

the value of good looks—of a fine complexion, a skin free from blemishes, bright eyes and a cheerful demeanor. Many of them know, also, what it means to be free from headaches, backaches, lassitude and extreme nervousness, because many have learned the value of

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"Look For The Green Sign."

The Oriental Rugs of Mr. Bozyan, considered the choicest seen in our city by everyone who knows these goods—are going at exceedingly attractive bargains. We would urge you not to put off taking advantage of the opportunity lest you be too late.

MISS BLAND
Masonic Building

SOCIAL EVENTS.

An event of the week past was the surprise tendered Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Miller, of 124 north Pierce street, when members of the Yoga auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and their husbands, were present. Following games and social amusements, Mrs. Miller was presented with a past president's emblem of the order. She is serving her fourth term as president. Refreshments completed the happy evening.

The Young Matrons' society of the Market Street Presbyterian church will hold their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. W. L. Neville, of 124 south Metcalf street. The ladies will take their embroidery work and also listen to the following program, which will be given upon this occasion:

Violin Solo—Miss Margaret Numan.
Reading—Miss Lillian Johnston.
Vocal Solo—Miss Marguerite

Zender.
Violin Solo—Miss Josephine Sherwood.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. R. O. Woods.
At the close of the afternoon's enjoyment, refreshments will be served.

Probate Judge J. N. Hutchison, retiring county official, will entertain the members of his office force Tuesday evening at dinner, at his home on south Cole street.

The Philomathean club will meet this evening with Miss Isabelle Mackenzie of south Collett street. A most interesting program is promised.

Mrs. W. H. Roush, of 216 south Baxter, will entertain the Womans' circle at her home, Wednesday afternoon.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

SNYDER WILL HAVE HEARING

Before Civil Service Commission Next Thursday Evening.

HEARING WILL
BE PUBLIC ONE.

Other Charges Against Deposed Officer Being Investigated.

Thursday evening, February 6th, at 7.30 o'clock has been fixed as the time for the hearing of Patrolman Ira Snyder from the decision of Safety Director Blank before the civil service commission. The hearing will be held in the council chamber in the third floor of the city building, and will be a public hearing.

Snyder was dismissed from the police department last Friday afternoon by Safety Director Blank, after a hearing before him on three separate charges embracing neglect of duty, preferred by Chief S. A. Earnst.

The accused patrolman will be represented by Attorneys Armstrong, Light and Shappell, while City Solicitor Jackson will represent the city.

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L. H. Kibby Honored by the
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To Every Young Man in the
City Starting a Business Career.

Of the many testimonials of esteem and regard that have been showered upon L. H. Kibby, retiring cashier of the Old National Bank, of Lima, on the eve of the departure of himself and family to their future home in California, none could be more greatly prized than the voluntary expression of confidence and esteem of the men with whom he has been continually associated for over 20 years, expressed in the following resolutions unanimously adopted today by the directors of the Old National Bank, and which require no further comment:

"To the Board of Directors of the Old National Bank of Lima, Ohio.

"Gentlemen:
"Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions appropriate to the acceptance of Mr. L. H. Kibby's resignation as cashier of this bank, beg leave to report as follows:

"Whereas, the directors of the Old National Bank of Lima, Ohio, after due notice to each member, was convened in special session on Wednesday, January 29, 1913, at the hour of 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering the resignation of L. H. Kibby as cashier, and the board of directors resolving itself into a committee of the whole proceeded to examine into the affairs of this bank and further adjourned the meeting from day to day, and,

"Whereas, on January 31, 1913, the committee of the whole, by its chairman, reported that all notes and bills receivable had been canvassed and all cash on hand and in the vaults had been counted and the results of such examination corresponded with the books of the bank as shown at the close of business on January 31, 1913. And the report of said committee was unanimously adopted and ordered to be made matter of record and the resignation of L. H. Kibby as cashier was then accepted, now, therefore be it,

"Resolved: That in the history of every community there stand out personalities openly accepted as the embodiment of intelligence, integrity, steadfastness, reliability and moral fitness, which virtues are constant and apparent in their business and social relations and which we conceive are combined in the best ideals of manhood, and further,

"Resolved: That this bank has been fortunate to a rare degree in having throughout nearly all its corporate life, such a character for its cashier in the person of Mr. L. H. Kibby. Also that we pride ourselves as officers and stockholders that it has not been necessary for us to lose our faithful cashier in order to discover his merit and worth. For during a quarter of a century he has held the unbounded confidence and esteem of the owners of this institution.

"That the record with which Mr. Kibby leaves this bank is an inspiration to every young man starting upon a business career, that his conduct of life as a citizen is an example for us all and commends him to the confidence and respect of any community where he and his esteemed family may establish a home.

"Respectfully submitted,
"F. W. HOLMES,
"B. F. THOMAS,
"JAS. W. HALPHILL."

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

ATTENTION COMRADES.

Comrades of Mart Armstrong Post are requested to meet Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock at the Western Ohio station to attend the funeral of Comrade Thompson at Beaverdam, Ohio.

CALVIN OSBORN,
Commander.

Basket Ball

White Stars vs. Kenton Reds.
Tuesday evening, at Auditorium.

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DRESS FORMS.

Demonstration of Pneumatic Dress Form by Mrs. Mabey, at residence, 777 west High street, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 3-4-5. Ladies interested are invited to call. 7-21

Here is a remedy that will cure your cold. Why waste time and money experimenting when you can get a preparation that has won a world-wide reputation by its cures of this disease and can always be depended upon. It is known everywhere as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and is a medicine of real merit. For sale by all dealers.



G. E. BLUEM

Monday, February 3, 1913.

WEATHER—Snow and colder.



Mid-Winter Clearances of Furs

Prices Reduced for Quick Selling



The continued warm weather has left us with a larger stock of Furs than usual, which means greatly lowered prices for high grade garments. Many of them have been reduced one-third of their regular prices. Others one-fourth off. They are here in nearly all styles and kinds. Beautiful sets in mink, ermine, moleskin, white, black and pointed fox, blue wolf, opossum, river mink, blended coney, etc.—sold in sets or separate pieces.

All Fur Coats now in stock, some beautiful styles, now one-third off.

Final Clearances in Women's Coats

Every Coat a Bargain at These Prices

Many will buy Winter Coats the next few days at these prices. All we have left go in three lots, and include many beautiful garments. They come in chinchillas, boucle, zibeline, broadcloths, heavy serges, two-tone diagonals and many fancy mixtures. All best style models and strictly high grade in every particular. Nearly all sizes in each lot.

Regular \$27.50 to \$47.50 Coats for women, now go at \$19.75 each.

Women's and misses' Cloth Coats worth up to \$35, now \$9.85 each.

Women's and misses' Cloth Coats worth up to \$20, now \$5.00 each.

Regular \$40 to \$65 women's fine Velour Coats, now one-third off.

Clearances in Winter Underwear

Women's Union Suits, wool-and-cotton, high or low neck, elbow sleeves, very special at \$1.29.

Women's \$1.50 Swiss Rib Vests, now \$1.29; \$1.00 values, now 89c.

Women's Vests and Tights, silk-and-wool, \$1.50 values, now \$1.29; \$2.00 values, now \$1.69.

Women's Vests and Pants, silk-and-wool, \$1.00 values, now 89c each.

Women's 50c Fleeced Vests, high neck, elbow and long sleeve styles,

now 39c.

Men's \$1.50 Vests and Drawers, grey wool, now \$1.39; regular \$1.00 values, now 89c.

Men's 50c Fleeced Vests and Drawers, medium or heavy weight, now 35c each.

Children's 25c Knit Waists, now 23c; regular 15c values, now 11c.

Children's Grey Wool Vests and Pants, nearly all sizes, odd lots, now greatly reduced for clearance.

More of Those Silk Remnants

Many more short lengths and remnants of Silks, Satins, Velvets and Corduroys have been added to our remnant table. You will find some beautiful patterns in suit, dress, party frock, waist and trimming lengths among them. All colors, all weaves and all prices. Now marked at one-fourth to one-half less than regular values. Have a look at them.

Free Instructions in Art Needlecraft

Tuesday and Thursday of each week we will give instructions in Art Needlecraft free of charge. This class is conducted for the benefit of women who are interested in learning the new stitches in crocheting, knitting and fancy work. Class hours from 9:00 to 5:30. Every one welcome. (Rest Room—Annex, second floor).



G. E. BLUEM



SESSION OF CITY COUNCIL

Promises to be Short and
Uneventful This
Evening.

NOTHING OF ANY
IMPORT ON TAP.

Plans for Remedying Conditions at City Jail May
be Discussed.

This evening's session of the city council promises to be a short and uneventful one, unless matters of importance are brought up for discussion after the regular routine business has been transacted.

At the present time, the clerk has nothing on file except two reports of the estimating board on paving matters and a few other minor communications and reports. There is no legislation of importance to be presented to the council this evening, according to the statement of the city solicitor this morning. It is quite likely, however, that

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the members will discuss plans for the improvement of conditions at the city prison, and also the advisability of removing the city workhouse from its present location in order that the inmates may be insured more sanitary and pleasant quarters. Nothing definite will be decided upon, however, at this meeting. The safety committee will likely have something to report on this subject.

The members may also take some action relative to the statement made by Health Officer Jones that the council was actuated by political motives in not appropriating the funds to maintain the office of city plumbing inspector, which office was created by the board at its December meeting.

THE PERSON WHO IS WIDE AWAKE IS THE ONE WHO ADVERTISES IN THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT WANT COLUMN.

RAY OF HOPE IN MYSTERY

Crew of Norwegian Ship.
Remittent, May be
Safe

ON BOARD FIMREITA WHICH SAILED JAN. 1

Bark Probably is Sailing
Wildly in Mid-Atlantic,
Without Crew.

Newport News, Feb. 6.—The crew of the Norwegian bark Remittent, found sailing abandoned off the Azores by the British tanker Roumanian on January 19, may be safe on the steamer Fimreita which sailed from Newport News January 1.

While the revenue cutter Onondaga was preparing today to put to sea in an effort to solve a mystery which resembled that of the unexplained disappearance of the crew of the bark Marc Celeste in 1873, it was reported that the Fimreita passing Gibraltar on January 19 had signaled she had aboard the crew of the Remittent. That was the same day the Roumanian plowing slowly from London to Port Arthur, came upon the bark sailing wildly with no hand to her tiller, and took her in tow after a hard chase. After taking the Remittent within 100 miles of Cape Henry, the Roumanian lost her in a blow, still apparently seaworthy, with her big canvas snugly furled, in condition to ride out a gale with bare poles. While the report that the Fimreita had the Remittent's crew aboard seems to solve what appeared to be a deep sea mystery, the revenue cutter still will go in search of the bark which probably is still sailing wildly in mid-Atlantic, a menace to navigation.

DETROIT SALESMAN BURNED IN HOTEL

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 6.—Otto Ellis, of Detroit, a traveling salesman, was burned about the hands and face and about 50 other men guests rushed to his room during a fire at the Kriehmann Hotel, at 513 Vine street, early today.

The guests were alerted on the arrival of firemen who assured them they were in no danger. The fire started in Ellis' room from a cigar stub, believed to have been dropped on the floor. Ellis received his injuries while trying to put the blaze out.

PEARY OPERATED ON.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, submitted to an operation here last night, the nature of which is not disclosed. Alarming reports that it was for appendicitis or stomach trouble are emphatically denied by the family. The explorer is reported today doing well.

MURDERER GIVEN LIFE SENTENCE.

Akron, O., Feb. 6.—John V. McDonald was today sentenced to the Ohio penitentiary for life by Judge Ahern, after he had pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree. McDonald shot and killed his one year old baby and shot and seriously injured his wife and another child on the night of October 10, 1912.

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BRANDT'S PARDON A BIG PRECEDENT

Release of Young Valet Fixes
Limit on Penalty.
30 YEARS EXCESSIVE TERM

Governor Sulzer Attacks "Judicial Injustice" in Behalf of Man Who Confessed Burglary in Schiff Home—He Imposes Strict Conditions on Ex-Convict—History of Brandt Case.

THINGS BRANDT CANNOT DO.

The terms of the pardon granted to Foulke E. Brandt provide: He must not appear upon the stage. He must not write a history of his case. He must not discuss his experiences in public for pay. He must not in any way make capital of the notoriety he has gained.

In the pardon of Foulke Engle Brandt, a young man who had served six years of a thirty year sentence for burglary, Governor Sulzer of New York established a precedent of great importance in his state. The effect is to mark off clearly the relative gravity of a first offense and the degree of punishment deserved for a certain sort of crime.

In effect the pardon is widely believed to have purged New York's records of a great judicial injustice which would have given rise to possible future injustices. The principle set forth was that thirty years is an outrageously excessive penalty for the first offense of a young man like Brandt in view of the fact that the most hardened criminal with unending felonies to his credit could not have received a longer term.

Brandt was convicted of robbing the home of Mortimer L. Schiff, with whom he had formerly been employed as valet. In an early petition for executive clemency he protested innocence and uttered a scandalous story.

In his final petition the young man confessed guilt in the most abject manner, retracted his scandalous statements and merely pleaded that his sentence was too long.

Senator Nelson a Benefactor. Senator Knute Nelson of Minnesota had been enlisted to aid the young convict's plea for pardon, agreed to get Brandt a job among good people in Minnesota, pay his expenses there and see that he had another start in life. Brandt left with the senator, earnestly promising to be honest and upright in future.

Foulke E. Brandt, or Lawrence de Foulke, as he sometimes called himself, was employed by Mortimer L. Schiff, the son of Jacob Schiff, at his country place at Oyster Bay in the summer of 1906. He was discharged, but was later re-engaged and remained in Mr. Schiff's employ until Feb. 11, 1907, when he was again discharged on the ground that he had written an impudent letter to Mrs. Schiff.

About a month later he entered the Schiff home, at 932 Fifth avenue, and later was accused by Mr. Schiff of assaulting him with a nunchaku. After parleying with his former servant Mr. Schiff made an appointment with him at his office. When Brandt went there two days later he was arrested. He was charged with assault in the first degree and with burglary, it being alleged that he had forced an entrance into the house and stolen jewelry valued at \$200.

Brandt was represented by Carl Fischer-Hanson, who was later convicted of a crime, served a term in the penitentiary and was discharged. Howard Gans, a former assistant district attorney, was in charge of Mr. Schiff's interests.

Brandt pleaded guilty to the burglary charge and was sentenced by Judge Rosinsky in the court of general sessions to serve thirty years, the maximum sentence, in state prison. He was twenty years old at that time.

His Efforts for Freedom. Brandt went to Sing Sing and later to Dannemora, where in 1909 he began his efforts to gain his freedom. He appealed first to Senator Nelson of Minnesota, who requested the Swedish consulate in New York to take up the matter. Other interests were enlisted, and an appeal was made to Governor Dix in 1911, who finally appointed Richard Hand as commissioner to hold hearings and report on the appeal for pardon.

Brandt enjoyed a few weeks of liberty under a writ granted by Justice Gerard and then spent several weeks in the Tombs after the order had been reversed by the appellate division. The case was carried up to the court of appeals, which decided last June that the court in which Brandt was tried had jurisdiction.

The charge that Brandt had been the victim of a conspiracy and that there had been many improprieties in connection with his trial and conviction was placed before the grand jury by District Attorney Whitman. After an inquiry that lasted nearly two months the grand jury failed to find indictments.

The grand jury did, however, write a presentment in which it found that Brandt was a thief, but not a burglar. Judge T. C. Crald refused to accept the presentment.

SHINING EXAMPLE OF TRUE HONESTY.

Warren, O., Feb. 6.—The other day Mrs. Edward Gamble of this city left her purse containing \$980 on an Erie train. Today it was returned to her. Conductor Frank Merrill found the purse and turned it over to the company, which gave it to Mrs. Gamble when her claim was entered.

MRS. J. ORTH PASSED AWAY

Death Came Quietly This
Morning at About
Four O'clock.

IN SEVENTY-THIRD YEAR OF HER LIFE.

She Died at the Home of Her
Daughter, Mrs. T. A.
Dobbins.

At a very early hour of the morning, the hand of death fell on another Lima home, claiming the aged mother of Mrs. T. A. Dobbins, of 557 south Pierce street. Mrs. Anna Orth, widow of Jacob Orth, was in the seventy-third year of her life when she was called to her eternal reward this morning.

For many years Mrs. Orth has been an invalid, but throughout all her trouble she has been a kind and considerate patient, and there has been innumerable joy even in waiting on her. For the past thirty-five years she has been a sufferer from the trouble which this morning brought on the close of her earthly life.

Mrs. Orth was born in the month of September, 1840, and has spent the greater part of her life in this part of the country. At this time no unusual arrangements have been made public, save only that the final resting place of the remains will be in the cemetery at Delphos, Ohio.

LINEUP OF GIRLS' TEAMS ANNOUNCED

Paulding High School Girls Will Contest With Lima Hi Grls Tomorrow Afternoon.

The line-up of the Lima High School Girls' basketball team in the game against Paulding High School tomorrow afternoon at the Auditorium was announced today as follows: Center guard, Beatrice Thompson; forwards, Florence Priest, Clara Graham, Gertrude Spanagale and Lucy Cullen; guards, Florence Morrison and Helen Spanagale.

The Paulding High School girls are considered among the crack teams of northwestern Ohio, and the game promises to be a spirited one. The preliminary contest will be between the Junior and Freshmen teams of the Lima High School, and will be called promptly at 3:15 o'clock.

A VERY ANCIENT TUNE.

It is Also Probably the Most Popular One in the World.

Perhaps the most firmly established popular song in the world is the air familiar to Americans as "We Won't Go Home 'Till Morning." The origin of the tune is obscure, but Louis Elson believes that the music was composed as a love song in the tenth century or earlier by one of the troubadours, the wandering minstrels of southern France. Chateaubriand, the French writer, heard it sung by the Arabs, and he suggested that it might have been carried to the Orient by the French crusaders.

It was certainly sung by the French soldiers during the war in which the first Duke of Marlborough won his fame. It was the lullaby of the baby son of Marie Antoinette. It became one of the most popular songs of the French revolution. Napoleon whistled and sang it throughout his life. Beethoven used it as one of the themes of his "Battle Symphony."

It has been for more than a century one of the most popular street songs in Europe. And there is probably not a ten-year-old boy or girl in America who does not know the tune.

The French words, beginning "Mal brook s'en va-tu guerre," were invented by some forgotten French soldier during the war of the Spanish succession. They describe the supposed death and funeral of the Duke of Marlborough, which death in the words of Father Front, "did not take place, by some mistake," since "the subject of the pathetic elegy was at the time of its composition, both alive and kicking all before him."

The song had nearly died out in France when Marie Antoinette caught it up from the peasant nurse she had employed for her baby; thereupon it spread rapidly, as songs do in France. Beaumarchais introduced it into "The Marriage of Figaro," and it was used by the red republicans for incendiary purposes of their own.

Several sets of words have been sung to the tune in the course of its history, and it has itself undergone some modifications. But its identity is clear through all the changes. Probably it is familiar to a greater number of people at the present time than any other tune in the world.—Youth's Companion.

Curious Russian Law.

Russia has a law which to outside observers seems almost to put a premium on theft by which stolen goods become the property of the thief if he can prove that he has had possession of them for over five years. In the thieves' market—which is, of course, licensed by the police—goods that admittedly have been stolen (more than five years before) are openly offered for sale, and the place is a veritable Mecca for the light-fingered gentry and their enterprising friends, as also for the more honest members of society, who secure many a tempting bargain.

BLOOD ON JEWEL

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the greater part of the session. He told of numerous conferences with the Beches within a few days after the assault.

The witness admitted that Beach gave him every assistance. On the night of the assault Beach told Rural Policeman Holly, according to the testimony of the latter today, that Mrs. Beach has lost a pair of ear-rings valued at \$4,000 or \$5,000. Subsequently the ear-rings were found in the side yard of the Beach home and turned over to the mayor who examined them and declared that in his opinion they were paste.

Beach's diamond studded pen-knife was an object of much interest and close scrutiny by the jury when it was offered in evidence.

Mayor Gyles said Beach gave it to him on request about three weeks after the assault, and later he turned it over to Dr. D. Hastings Wyman, Jr., for microscopic examination.

Dr. Wyman testified that he had examined the knife under a glass and had discovered what he believed to be blood-stains. This view was sustained, he said, by the opinion of Dr. Boyden Mims, an analyst, of Columbia, to whom he submitted the knife.

The prosecution offered in evidence a report from Dr. Mims declaring that in his opinion a number of stains appearing on the knife were blood cells. It was admitted, however, that the tests made were microscopic and not chemical.

Beach, upon taking the stand, said he was 57 years old, that he was a property owner at Akron, and had been spending the winter here for 17 years.

"When did you marry Mrs. Beach?" asked Congressman Byrnes of his counsel.

"November 29, 1899."

"Have you any children?"

"Yes, two."

"Where were you living in February 1912?"

"I had rented my house on Hood's lane to Mrs. Lyons, and my wife and I were living in the cottage adjoining."

"Did you have any guests on February 26?"

"Yes, Miss Hollins. She arrived the day before."

"Did you have any other guests for supper that night?"

"No."

"What did you do after supper?"

"The daries of us, we went into the sitting room fronting on Hood's lane. Miss Hollins retired about ten minutes after nine. We continued reading. Suddenly we heard a scream. My wife exclaimed: 'My, what's that?' I told her I thought it was some negroes quarrelling. Then we heard another from the direction of the Lyons place. Two or three minutes later my wife said she thought she would go to bed but that she would put the dogs out first. She went out with the dogs, closing the sitting room door behind her. A minute later I heard her scream. I ran out the front door and saw my wife leaning against the post at the corner of the porch. I started for her and had gotten about a quarter of the way on the path when a negro darted by me across the bushes and out the front gate. I could have intercepted him, but instead I rushed to the assistance of my wife. My thought when I heard her scream was that she had found dead or dying the man we heard screaming a few minutes before."

"When I reached my wife she exclaimed: 'He has done something dreadfully to me.' I carried her on to the porch, opened the screen door and laid her down inside. Then I saw the cut in her throat and realized for the first time what had happened. I rushed upstairs, obtained my gun and went into Hood's lane in search of the assailant. I returned in a short time and found the door had slammed to. I knocked vigorously and Miss Hollins came to the door and asked who was there half-opening it. I replied 'It's me, Beach. Let me in.'"

Beach said that he left the house soon after to telephone to Dr. Hall, his physician. He met the two women going out. He telephoned Dr. Hall from the Akron club and then returned to his wife's side. When Dr. Hall arrived and began sewing up the wound in her throat, he said he held her hands because "it was very painful he suspected."

He said that he did not remain in his wife's room during the night because Miss Hollins was there with her, but said that his wife sent for him several times during the night.

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SAFE BLOWERS MAKE RICH HAUL.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 6.—Burglars blew a door off the safe in the case of the St. Denis Hotel in Norwood, a suburb, early today and stole \$1,307 in currency and \$300 in checks. The men forced entrance into the cellar, broke down the furnace pipes leading to the bar room of the hotel, and climbed through the hole in the floor.

MINE PROMOTER PLEADS NOT GUILTY

McNicholas, O., Feb. 6.—James H. McNicholas, mine promoter, charged by the government with defrauding northern Ohio people out of half a million dollars by fraudulent use of the mails, pleaded not guilty when arraigned in federal court today, with the understanding that he can withdraw the plea and file a demurrer to the indictment if he desires.

McNicholas, who has been unable to furnish the required \$20,000 bail, is sick as a result of a close confinement in jail.

WAVE OF REFORM HAS CAUSED PROBES OVER ENTIRE NATION

Never in History of the United States Have So Many Inquiries Been Made.

Graft, Crime, Inefficiency and Economic Wrongs Being Investigated.

NEVER in the history of the United States have so many investigations been under way as at present. In almost every department of human activity, from one kind of the country to the other some kind of a committee or other is trying to unearth graft or wrongdoing. The federal government is setting the pace with committees delving into the why and wherefore of most of its problems. In the various states local committees are making inquiries that are expected to result in the general betterment of the people. The desire for facts on which to base reforms has swept over the entire land and there is hardly a community that is so poor that it cannot afford an investigation of some sort.

In all the Union there are not more than half a dozen states which are not investigating in some form or other. New York state is having a leading part. Governor William Sulzer had not been in office two days before he appointed a committee to investigate all the state departments, and this committee is now head over heels in work.

New York City's Probes.

New York City has been busy with a general police and vice investigation since last summer. The impetus was given by the Rosenthal murder. Long before Police Lieutenant Becker was convicted an ad-hoc committee had been formed for the purpose of getting at the root of police graft. About the same time a special grand jury was instructed by Supreme Court Justice Goff to do the same thing. Since then the grand jury work has been absorbed by the ad-hoc committee, which is acting practically as an adjunct to the district attorney's office, and the regular grand jury.

The federal government, through its executive and legislative branches, is now engaged in many inquiries in the interest of the public welfare.

It is difficult to estimate the exact number of investigations under government auspices now in progress, as there are several instances where dozens of lines of inquiry have been undertaken by a single bureau of a government department. One bureau of the department of agriculture has under scrutiny no less than fifteen major subjects, all intended for the betterment of producers and consumers of agricultural products, and some of these have many ramifications that increase the aggregate number greatly.

Money Trust Inquiry.

In the first rank stands the "money trust" investigation of the Pujo committee. The object of this investigation, directed sweepingly at an aggregation of capitalists, is to ascertain the precise methods of big finance in this country, with a view to remedial legislation by control of clearing houses and other additions to and modifications of the national banking act.

Another wing of the banking and currency committee, under the chairmanship of Representative Carter Glass of Virginia, is engaged in a less

BARBARA FRIETCHIE ORIGINAL IS FOUND IN LOVE LETTER OF PICKETT

EVER since Whittier wrote "Barbara Frietche" historians have discussed the truth of the incident described in his most famous poem. There has been discussion pro and con in literary and historical circles for fifty years. It is left to a current magazine to shed new light on this interesting question. The Pictorial Review prints in its December number the second installment of "The Love Letters of a Confederate General," written fifty years ago and now published for the first time, in which an episode very similar to that of Barbara Frietche is described in a letter which General George E. Pickett wrote to his sweetheart, who later became his wife. It will be of interest to every student of American history.

The letter follows:

Greencastle, Pa., June 24, 1863.

I never could quite enjoy being a "conqueror hero." No, my dear, there is something really wrong about my hurrying about in a conquering mood, knowing to be just, can risk my own life and the lives of my keeping without a thought of the consequences, but when we've conquered, when we've downed the enemy and won the victory, I don't want to hurry. I want to go off by myself and be sorry for them—want to lie down in the grass away off in the woods somewhere or in some lone valley on the hillside far from all human sound and rest my soul and put my heart to sleep and get some things—I don't know what, but something I had that is gone from me—something subtle and unexplainable—something I never knew I had till I lost it—it was gone—gone—gone!

Yesterday my men were marching victoriously through the little town of Greencastle, the bands all playing our glorious, soul inspiring southern airs, "The Bonny Blue Flag," "My Maryland," "Her Bony Smiles Haunts Me Still," and the soldiers

all happy, hopeful, joyously keeping time to the music, many following it with their voices and making up for the want of the welcome they were not receiving in the enemy's country by cheering themselves and giving themselves a welcome.

Flower's band, playing "Dixie," was passing a vine covered home a young girl rushed out on the porch and waved a United States flag. Then, either fearing that it might be taken from her or finding it too large and unwieldy, she fastened it around her as an apron and, taking hold of it on each side and waving it in defiance, called out with all the strength of her girl's voice and all the courage of her brave young heart:

"Traitors, traitors, traitors, come and take this flag, the man of you who dares!"

Knowing that many of my men were from a section of the country who had been within the enemy's lines and fearing lest some might forget their manhood, I took off my hat and bowed to her, saluted her flag and then turned, facing the men who felt and saw that even the flag of their own country was in the hands of a brave young heart.

"Oh, I wish—I wish I had a rebel flag! I'd wave that too!"

The picture of that little girl in the vine covered porch beneath the purple morning glories with their closed lips and bowed heads, waiting and saving their pretenses and bloom for the coming morn—of course I thought of you my darling. For the men who felt and saw that even the flag of their own country was in the hands of a brave young heart.

We left the little girl standing there with the flag gathered up in her arms, as if too sacred to be waved and now that even the enemy had done it reverence, and we shall none of us forget that picture of heroic womanhood as ever.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. C. R. Cobb, of east Market street, is in Upper Sandusky, called there to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. C. F. Lufkin, of 640 west Market street, has been called to Indianapolis by the very serious illness of her sister residing in that city.

On Saturday of this week Mr. and Mrs. George R. Carter, the former the member of the firm of Carter and Carroll, accompanied by several of

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the heads of the departments of this progressive store, including Miss Walsh and Miss Connair, leave for a week in New York City. The trip is for the purpose of visiting the eastern market, and bringing back to the Lima patrons the latest in all the lines carried.

WON THE JURY.

A Couple of Shrewd Quizzes and the Railroad Lost Its Case.

A number of years ago Benjamin F. Butler was a guest of friends in Brooklyn. During his visit he noted the use of the street railway companies compelling conductors to register fares as soon as passengers entered the cars and before the fares were actually collected. Two or three years afterward he represented the plaintiff in a damage suit for \$15,000 in which a Brooklyn street railway company was the defendant. The principal witness for the car on which the accident occurred, and his testimony was so strong as to make things look bad for Butler's client. But Butler recalled the unusual rule he had remarked years before, and on cross examination he said:

"Your company requires you to ring up fares as soon as passengers enter the car, doesn't it?"

"Yes."

"Suppose a passenger boards your car and then finds he is on the wrong line. Do you state that fact to your superiors, and do they make allowance on your returns for that fare?"

"No. I lose the nickel."

"Do you mean to say the company won't take your word for 5 cents?"

"No, they won't."

"Yet," said the shrewd veteran, turning to the jury, "the company asks you to take this conductor's word for \$15,000."

Butler's client received a verdict—Brooklyn "Globe."

"Spanish Mutton."

Dog meat, we learn from the Frankfurter Zeitung, is largely sold in Germany, and more especially in Saxony, but rarely under its own name. Traders describe it as Spanish mutton, and their customers are less chary of asking for it.

Catfish in England is treated in the same euphemistic way. There was a time when this fish was never seen in the shops. Then some fishmongering genius invented the name of "rock salmon," and bestowed it upon the despised catfish, which now has an established place in the market—London Chronicle.

The Man Fish.

Mathew Buchinger, mentioned in old English wonder books as the "man fish," was the most remarkable monstrosity of his time. He had neither hands, arms, feet nor legs. From his shoulders grew two finlike excrescences, and along his back there were several rows of scales. He had the ill-dress characteristic of the fish species and a queer puckered mouth and no ears.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Five leaders of the garment workers strike, Abraham Zeitler, Louis Solomon, Ben Cerulli, Harry Schrebnick and Isadore Miller, are under arrest today charged with inciting riot. Valentine Sauter, proprietor of a clothing shop, is also in prison on a charge of first degree murder. All the arrests followed the riotous attack on Sauter's shop last night when Ida Berman, a striker, was killed by a charge from a shot gun which the clothing man fired into the crowd. Eight others were injured.

This morning the strikers and manufacturers both expressed a willingness to bring their difficulties to an end.

Gold Medal Flour is real economy.